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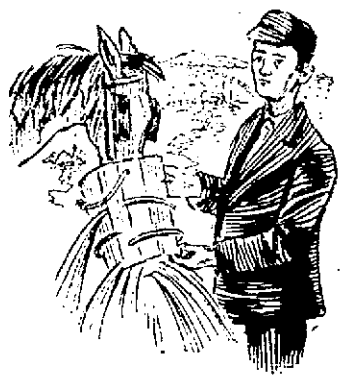

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## NEW LIBRARY BOOKS

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**List of New Books Received by The T. B. Scott Free Library during The Past Week.**

Below is a list of the new books received at the library during the past week. By perusing the list it will be seen that there is a great variety and the list includes works touching on many different subjects.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Ely—Outlines of economics.
McClure—Our presidents and how we make them.
Atkinson—Power transmitted by electricity.
Iles—Flame, electricity and the camera.
Hazen—Filtration of public water supplies.
Warman—Story of the railroad.
Lowe—German Emperor William II.
Ragozin—Tales of the heroic ages; Siegfried and Beowulf.
Burn's Poems and songs.
Hyde—God's education of man.
Cross—Development of the English novel.
Andrews—Historical developement of Europe, 2 Vol.
Burns—English kings according to Shakespeare.
Bailey—Cyclopedia of horticulture Vol. 1 and 2.
Griswold—Descriptive list of novels and tales dealing with history of United States.

FICTION.

Ganvier—Passing of Thomas.
Crane—Red badge of courage.
Webster—Banker and the bear.
Roberston—Red blood and blue.
Pemberton—Feo, a romance.
Tynan—The dear Irish girl.
Cable—John March, southerner.
Ellis—Dread and fear of kings.
Tarkington—Gentleman from Indiana.
Sienkiewicz—Knights of the cross 2 Vol.
Godfrey—Harp of life.
Fowler—The Farringdons.
Corelli—Boy, a sketch.
Allen Grant—Hilda Wade.
Davis—A friend of Caesar.
Dix—Deacon Bradbury.
Allen—Reign of law.
Weyman—Sophia.
Stephens—Philip Winwood.
Tarkington—Mousieur Beaucaire.
Hope—Captain Dieppe.
Wilkins—The heart's highway.
Wilkins—Love of parson Lord.
Mathews—Action and the word.
Grant—Unleavened bread.
Burnett—In connection with the De Willoughly claim.
Crockett—Isle of the winds.
Pool—Meloon Farm.
Benson—The Vintage.
Harris—Uncle Remus.
Thompson—Trail of the ~~sand-hill~~ stag.
Thompson—Biography of a grizzly.

FOR YOUNG PEOPLE.

Strong—All the year round; part 1, autumn.
Field—Lullaby land.
Payne—Nature studies.
Lang—Animal story-book.
Blaisdell—Stories of the civil war.
Bull—Fridtjof Nansen.
Ruskins—King of the golden river.
Giffin—Civics for young Americans.
Troeger—Nature study reader.
Scollard—Boys book of rhyme.
Drake—On Plymouth rock.
Kingsley—Madam How and Sady Why.
Scott—Tales of chivalry.
Guerber—Story of the thirteen colonies.
Howells—Stories of Ohio.
Brooks—True story of Christopher Columbus.
Cravens—Story of Lincoln.
Brown—Plant baby and its friends.
Pierson—Among the forest people.
Chaplin—Young folks cyclopedia of persons and places.

FICTION.

Johnson—Phaeton Rogers.
Johnson—Exploits of Myles Standish.
Hall—In the brave days of old.
Daskam—Smith college stories.
Scudder—Seven little people.
Richards—Melody, the story of a child.
Hale—Four and Five.
Stoddard—With the Black Prince.
Spyri—Heidi
Stuart—Story of Babette.
Stockton—Clocks of Rondaine.
Defoe—Robinson Crusoe.
Black—Four Mac Nicols.
Stuart—Solomon Crow's Xmas pockets.
Eggleston—The big brother.
Burnett—Editha's burglar.

### Death of Mrs. Wipfli.

Mrs. Josephine Wipfli, of Altdorf, died on Thursday morning from the effects of a stroke of paralysis which occurred on Saturday last. The deceased was 59 years old and was an old resident in that section. When she was prostrated by the stroke it was thought that she might recover as she was only paralyzed on one side. The funeral will be held today, interment being in the Catholic cemetery at Altdorf.

### Miss St Amour Entertains.

Miss Pearl St Amour entertained a number of her friends at her home on High street on Wednesday evening. Among those present were: Misses Alyce Nash, Helen Kromer, Florence Phillico, Jessie Stetzer, Maude Tibbits Carrie Briere, Celia Emmons, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Witter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cameron, Messrs. W. J. Conway, James Vaughn, Theo. Brazeau, Dr. Conniff and Frank Atwood.

—Dr. Chas. Pomainville, Dentist, Office over J. A. Cohen's store, Grand Rapids, Wis.

## DEATH OF EGBERT M'LEES.

**Is Kicked by a Horse and Dies from Injuries Next Day.**

Egbert McLees, one of the old residents of Marshfield, died at his home in that city on Monday from injuries received the day before, having been kicked in the groin by a broncho. Deceased was well known all over the county owing to public positions he has held, and all who knew him will be pained to hear of his demise.

In addition to his bereaved wife he leaves a family of four adult children, Mrs. A. F. Lawrence, of Willow Lake, S. D., Mrs. George Lee, Bert and John McLees. The funeral was held Thursday forenoon at 10 o'clock from the M. E. church. The James G. Blaine post G. A. R., of which he had been commander attended in a body. The flag was struck at half mast on the G. A. R. flag staff in his memory.

Mr. McLees was born Oct. 8, 1833, at Norwich, Canada, and came to Wisconsin in 1850, locating first at Atwater. He was married in Fox Lake, June, 14, 1862 and in the spring of 1865 enlisted with Company I, Wisconsin heavy artillery, serving with valor until the close of war. Prior to coming to Marshfield fourteen years ago he lived in Trempeleau, Horicon and Waupun.

### New Lumbering Firm.

On July 24 the articles of incorporation were filed for the lumbering firm to be known as the Pigeon River Lumber Company. The organization of the company took place in this city on Thursday, Aug. 2, when the following officers were elected: D. J. Arpin president, Herman Finger vice-president and general manager, Wm Scott secretary and treasurer. The new company figure that they have about 125,000,000 of timber on the land they own, which is situated partly in Minnesota and partly in Canada, not far from Lake Superior. The intention of the new company is to buy a sawmill on the Canada side where the timber will be manufactured into lumber. There are mills at both Fort William and Port Arthur and it is probable that the work will be done in one of these towns.

Mr. Scott spent three weeks up in the region where the timber is situated and reports that his trip was a delightful one throughout, the country round about being a network of small lakes and it is possible to travel for miles in these water-ways. Mr. Finger, who will have the management of the new plant for the new company, comes from Eagle River and is a lumberman of many years experience.

### Circuit Court.

At a special term of court held by Judge Webb on Monday the following matters were disposed of:

August Dethart vs. Kate Dethart, Waupaca. Action for divorce, granted.

Salista Styche vs. W. A. Styche, divorce granted. Also from Waupaca.

May Seavers vs. Nichola Seavers, of Portage county. Divorce granted.

Paul Meloch vs. Josefina Meloch, of Wood county. Divorce granted.

State of Wisconsin vs. Annie C. Fitz. of Nekoosa, for adultery. Sentenced to one year in Waupun.

State of Wisconsin vs. Martin Glines charged with obtaining goods under false pretenses. Given three months in the county jail.

State of Wisconsin vs. Charles Oberst, of Portage county, charged with larceny from person. Sentenced to Waupun for one year.

### Railroad Notes.

The corps of engineers and the survey gang of the Northwestern road were at work near this city yesterday and today. They were making soundings in the river about a mile south of the city, evidently looking for a place to locate a bridge.

Report has it that the owner of the M. & S. E. road has been offered $10,000 a mile for his road but the offer has been refused, he wanting $20,000 per mile. Whether there is any truth in this report we are unable to say.

It is the general opinion of all that the road will be built and that if the M. & S. E. road cannot be bought at a reasonable figure the new road will parallel the old one.

### Manufacturers' Excursion.

This office is in receipt of the itinerary of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' association excursion, which leaves Milwaukee on the 13th of August and stays out until the 23rd. The points touched take in pretty much all the principal towns in northern Wisconsin and Michigan and the party reaches this city Aug. 22, at 11:50 a. m. leaving again at 2 p. m. The party carries both sleeping and dining cars.

### Home from Klondike.

Rube Lyons, who has been at Dawson city during the past three years, returned to this city Tuesday for a three weeks' visit. Mr. Lyons is a clarinet player of no mean ability and it has been with this instrument that he has been making his way during his sojourn in the Klondike region. He reports all of the people from this section to be in good health.

### Bicycles Stolen.

The bicycle thief seems to be getting quite numerous of late. During the past week three wheels have turned up missing, they being the property of Frank Cranev, Miss Boyer and Dr. Boorman. So far as known none of the missing wheels have been heard from.

—Dr. J. C. Conniff, Dentist. Office over the Centralia Drug Co's store in Daly block, Centralia, Wis.

## BOY FATALLY SHOT.

### WILLIE SEMROW IS THE VICTIM.

**Exact Circumstances of Accident Unknown—No One at Hand When Shooting Occured**

Willie, the ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Semrow, met with an accident last night which will undoubtedly prove fatal, he having been shot in the face by a twenty-two calibre revolver, the bullet entering at the right side of the nose and lodging in the brain. Although alive at this writing, the physicians in charge of the case consider it only a question of a short time when the little fellow will succumb to his injuries.

Just how the accident happened is not known and may probably always remain a mystery. The story, so far as we can learn, is as follows: Willie the injured boy, went over to his aunt's place, Mrs. Ziemond, and asked for their revolver, which was a small 22-calibre affair. The boy's cousin did not want to give it to him but Willie explained that his older cousin, who was not present, had told him that he might take the weapon and it was handed over to him. About eight o'clock that evening Mr. Waldo, who lives near the Semrow home, was startled by a pistol shot near his house and running out he found Willie lying across the bicycle path bleeding and senseless. He was hurriedly carried home and Drs. Ridgman and Pomainville summoned. The medical men could do nothing for the boy, however, as it was impossible to locate the bullet, which entering close beside the nose had taken a slightly upward course and undoubtedly lodged in the brain. The probe entered the wound for a distance of four inches but nothing could be found of the ball. The only theory that the doctors advance that explains why the boy did not die at once is that the bullet passed through the tissue between the two lobes of the brain and lodged against the back of the brain, thus not injuring the organ as much as it would have done otherwise.

Judging from the position of the wound and the course of the bullet there is little doubt that the boy was looking down the barrel of the weapon when it exploded, he probably not knowing that it was loaded at the time.

### Merry Campers.

A party of young people consisting of the following: Misses Viola Garrison, Maurine and Lona Johnson, Nellie Ward, Eva Jones, Effie Goggins, Ethel Kelley, Mabel McCamley, Jane Durell of Chicago, Kate Walthers of Merrill; Messrs. Lee Love, Dr. Csas. Pomainville, E. J. Whitney, Otto Rocuius, Theo. Brazeau, W. Fayant, F. Steib, Donald Ploss of Wausau, chaperoned by Dr. and Mrs. F. Pomainville, are camping this week at Sailor's Rock on the Wisconsin river south of the mouth of Four Mile creek, opposite Port Edwards. The young people are having a jolly time and getting a good healthy color. They are supplied with four boats, one of which is rigged for sailing and is made good use of, the river and wind being favorable for sailing as far down as the Nekoosa dam. Bathing is also one of the numerous pleasures of the party, they being well supplied with bathing suits. The young ladies are doing well in their attempts to swim and can swim as long as they can keep from talking, and some can swim when their feet can't get to the river bed.

The campers were troubled some with mosquitos and lost considerable sleep the first night, but since that time they haven't seen a mosquito and can sleep as well as many a more experienced camper. They are well supplied with good things to eat, as their food, fruit and dainty dishes are sent to them fresh from the different homes, bright and early every morning and they keep a good supply on hand and their friends who drop in to spend a pleasant day are treated right royally by the whole camp.

They experienced a little excitement last Tuesday evening when Dr. Pomainville's horse got loose from where it was staked. A number of boys were sent down from town to help the boys in camp, they found the horse next morning after a diligent search. No harm was done.

The visitors up to the present writing are Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Witter and daughter Inez, Mr. and Mrs. I. Witter, Mrs. W. Scott, Mrs. F. Garrison, Mrs. N. Johnson, the Misses Carolyn Briere, Nannie Ward, and Susan Beeston, Mr. E. B. Garrison, Mr. Thompson, Fred Roenius, and Ed. Pomainville.

### Society and Club Notices.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Catholic church will meet in their rooms over Spafford, Cole & Lipke's store every Wednesday afternoon.

St. Katherine's Guild will meet next Friday at 2:30, with Mrs. B. M. Vaughn.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will meet next Wednesday afternoon at the church parlors.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Congregational church will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. J. W. Cochran.

The Clover Leaf Club will meet next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Ed. Brazeau.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church of the west side will meet on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Jas. Gibson.

—For Rent—A cottage in nice situation. Inquire of Mrs. E. B. Brundage.

## SCOOPED BY MARSHFIELD.

**The Local Gun Club Beaten by a Score of 132 to 117.**

The Marshfield gun club came down on Monday as per schedule and beat the local club by 15. Eight shot in each club with 25 birds each. Although the time in the city was short, the visiting team reported a good time. Following is the score:

MARSHFIELD.

| | |
|---|---|
| Marsh | 21 |
| Graves | 21 |
| Terry | 12 |
| Bower | 14 |
| Lutterman | 17 |
| Pors | 16 |
| Ames | 21 |
| Wright | 10 |

GRAND RAPIDS.

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|---|---|
| Scott | 16 |
| Gothke | 16 |
| Lyons | 16 |
| Conway | 11 |
| Stearns | 18 |
| Gothke, O. | 16 |
| Youke | 18 |
| Nash, L. M. | 6 |

A return shoot will be held at Marshfield on Thursday, August 16th.

### Sunday's Ball Game.

The baseball game on Sunday resulted in a victory for Stevens Point by a score of 14 to 4. It was a slow game and seemed to be an off day for the home boys as they did not play with anything like their usual vigor and the game was lost more through poor playing by them than by any good playing done by the visitors. The home boys labor under the disadvantage of having a new lot of players each time who have never practiced together.


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| $1.50 Colored Shoes and Oxfords | $1.18 |
| 1.75 | 1.32 |
| 2.00 | 1.58 |
| 2.25 | 1.82 |
| 2.50 | 1.98 |
| 3.00 | 2.48 |
| 3.50 | 2.88 |
| 4.00 | 3.15 |
| 4.50 | 3.48 |
| 5.00 | 3.65 |

I also have about 300 pair in broken lots of ladies and gents black and colored shoes, all new and up-to-date goods, but not all sizes that I shall offer at below the cost of making them. Take a look at our window as you pass by if you want to see bargains.

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## OOM PAUL GIVES UP.

**President Kruger Said to be Willing and Anxious to Surrender.**

Pretoria, Monday, Aug. 6.—It is stated positively that President Kruger is willing and anxious to surrender, provided a satisfactory promise is given as to his ultimate destination.

**British Take Harrismith.**

London, Aug. 7.—Lord Roberts reports to the war office under date of Pretoria, August 6, as follows:

"Harrismith surrendered on August 4. The neighboring country seems to be quiet. Kitchener is with the force south of the Vaal river. He was joined yesterday by a strong detachment of Brabant's Horse and the Canadian regiment.

"The Boers attacked the garrison at Elands river on the morning of August 4. Information was sent to Carring on, who was on the way to Elands river. Ian Hamilton, who reached Rustenburg yesterday, reported hearing heavy firing in the direction of Elands river.

"Today the firing seems more distant, which looks as if the Elands river garrison had been relieved and was retiring towards Zerust."

**Communication Restored.**

Cape Town, Aug. 7.—Railway communication with Natal has been re-established by Gen. MacDonald's capture of Harrismith.

Heavy fighting at Elands river commenced on Sunday and continued Monday. No details are obtained, but it is believed that Gen. Carrington and Gen. Ian Hamilton relieved the garrison at Rustenburg, which is retiring to Zerust.

**Many Burgher Desertions.**

London, Aug. 7.—A Lourenco Marques correspondent of the Daily Telegraph states that a Frenchman just returned from the Boer front confirms the telegrams which have been received during the last few days describing the pitiable character of the Boer position.

Gen. Botha's commando, originally 750, now consists of only 63, and other commandoes have been reduced in like proportion owing to desertions. The remaining burghers have divided into two parties, one for peace and the other for war. The peace party is the stronger.

## FATE OF THE REPUBLICS.

**Monarchical Government, Supported by Military Force.**

London, Aug. 7.—The secretary of state for the colonies, Mr. Chamberlain, in reply to a question in the house of commons today, said he had already made himself acquainted with the views of Canada and Australia, in regard to the main points of the South African settlement. He added that they were completely in accord with her majesty's government as to the necessity for the annexation of Orange Free State and the Transvaal to the British empire and the establishment of a government, supported by a military force, with the ultimate extension of representative self-government.

## THREE LIVES LOST.

**Engineer and Two Firemen Killed and Four Seriously and Seven Slightly Injured.**

Lafayette, Ind., Aug. 7.—Three persons were killed and a number injured at an early hour this morning by the collision of a passenger train with a freight engine and caboose on the Monon railroad near South Raub, ten miles south of this city.

The freight engine was awaiting the passage of the passenger train on a side-track. The passenger was running at the rate of twenty-five miles an hour when the crash came. The killed:

LEWIS RAUB, Lafayette, freight engineer.

THOMAS CRAFT, Lafayette, freight fireman.

JOSEPH HUDLOW, Lafayette, passenger fireman.

Seriously injured:

Henry W. Whitsell of Lafayette, passenger, who will die from scalding.

Eugene McCool of Lafayette, freight brakeman, hip crushed.

Stephen F. Rielv, Chicago, traveling man, hip hurt.

W. N. Tyson of Crawfordsville, left leg hurt.

Slightly injured:

J. F. Pope of Williamsport.

Mrs. Daniel Schrader of New Albany.

Charles Davis of Crawfordsville.

Daniel Schrader of New Albany.

C. H. Callahan of Bloomington, freight conductor.

Victor Belcher, freight brakeman.

Mrs. Louis Woodson of Chicago.

## A BOY WITH A GUN.

**Youth of 12 Holds Sheriff at Bay—Latter Makes Arrest Later.**

Santa Fe, N. M., Aug. 7.—Sheriff C. F. Blackington found himself balked by a 12-year-old boy yesterday. A couple of youngsters broke into a freight car at Magdalena and were detected. The sheriff arrived and one of the boys fled, but the other, Fred Barnett, stood in the car door with a Winchester in his hands and calmly ordered the sheriff to leave. This the latter did, but later surrounded the car with a posse and captured the youthful desperado.

## GERMANY TO LEAD IN PRIZES.

**Theodor Wolf Says It will Win the Honors of the Paris Fair.**

Berlin, Aug. 7. Theodor Wolf wires to the Berliner Tageblatt from Paris that Germany will get more first prizes at the exposition than any other nation. He estimates the number at 250. Germany will be first in industrial arts, with twenty grands prix and 109 gold medals.

## CYCLONE IN GREAT BRITAIN.

**Loss of Life on Both Land and Sea Are Reported.**

London, Aug. 7.—A regular cyclone has prevailed throughout the United Kingdom since early last evening. Loss of life on land and sea and the destruction of shipping and other property are reported.

**Chinese Conservatism.**

Chinese prejudice never disappears before the light, but it is daily being broken down by its own weight under external pressure. In years to come even the horrors of the Pekin cart may be discarded by foreign residents in favor of the foreign rickshaw, but this depends more on the mending of the Chinese roads than on the mending of Chinese manners.—London Telegraph.

—The first Democratic national convention was held in 1832, and was presided over by Gen. Lucas of Ohio, after whom Lucas county in that state was named.

## HAY REPLIES TO CONGER.

**Secretary Advises Him that Relief Column is Approaching.**

## NEAR AN ULTIMATUM.

**Chinese Offer of Safe Conduct to Tien Tsin Rejected To Leave Pekin Means Death.**

Washington, D. C., Aug. 8. Secretary Root said this afternoon that a message had been delivered to Minister Wu saying that free communication had not been established between this government and its minister in China, and therefore the demands made in the President's reply to the Emperor had not been acceded to.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 8. A reply has been sent to Minister Conger by the state department to the message received from him late yesterday. It advises him of the approach of the relief column and exhorts him to be of good cheer. The dispatch was sent direct to Minister Conger at Pekin and a duplicate of it to Consul-Gen. Goodnow at Shanghai. Goodnow was directed to spare no pains or expense to get the message to Minister Conger.

The Chinese minister has received a copy of the imperial edict of August 2, which was delayed in transmission. It directs the safe-escort of the foreigners to Tien Tsin and assigns Jung Lu to select Chinese officials to give this safe conduct.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 8. As a result of the conference last night between the President, Acting Secretary of State Adee, Secretary Root and Gen. Corbin, a cablegram was sent early this morning to Consul-General Goodnow, including a copy of the dispatch from Minister Conger and advising him of the situation as it is understood here. He was directed to communicate this to Earl Li Hung Chang, to Sheng and to such viceroys as can transmit it to whatever government there is in the Chinese empire. This cable contained what is said to be a very emphatic statement of the position of this government and saying that action is immediately necessary. While it is not, strictly speaking, an ultimatum, it is very close to it.

The government officials here regard the situation as very dangerous to Minister Conger and other foreigners in Pekin, and grave doubt is expressed whether the international forces can reach Pekin in time to rescue the ministers.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 8. The navy department has received the following cablegram from Admiral Remey, dated Chefoo, August 8:

"Chaffee reports that the Japanese took Peitsang on the morning of the 5th; engagement over before the Americans arrived. Movement probably continued to Yang Tsun. Inform secretary of war."

London, Aug. 8.—The British consul at Tien Tsin, under date of Monday, August 6, announces that the Chinese have been expelled from Peitsang and that they are in full retreat.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 8.—War office telegrams received here from Eastern Siberia show the Chinese have destroyed the railroad in several places, interrupting the passage of through trains. Repairs are proceeding. The Cossacks now guard 2000 versts of the frontier railroad.

### COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

**Count Von Waldersee Said to Have Been Appointed.**

Cologne, Aug. 8.—The Cologne Gazette's Berlin correspondent states that he has it from an authoritative source that Field Marshal Count von Waldersee has been appointed commander-in-chief of the allied troops in China.

Count von Waldersee has been prominently identified with high military circles in Germany. Under the old Emperor Frederick he was removed from

COUNT VON WALDERSEE.

the German general staff to be assigned the command of a corps, and semi-official papers at that time made serious charges of intrigue against him. He was also at one time in difficulty with Gen. von Caprivi concerning the duties of the war minister, but this was overshadowed by the secrecy which prevails in military circles. The countess was the daughter of a former Brooklyn grocer.

### UNDER RIFLE FIRE.

**British Foreign Office Receives Dispatch from Minister McDonald.**

London, Aug. 8.—In the House of Commons today Mr. Broderick, parliamentary secretary for the foreign office, read a telegram from Sir Claude MacDonald, British minister to China, received in cipher at the foreign office this morning. The dispatch was in reply to a government message and bore date of Pekin, August 2. It was as follows:

"I have today received your cipher telegram forwarded to me by the Chinese minister. The shell and cannon fire ceased on July 16, but the rifle fire has continued from the Chinese positions held by government troops and Boxers intermittently ever since. The casualties since then have been slight. Except our private orderlies all the wounded are doing well, including the whole garrison.

"The total of killed is 60 and of wounded 110. We have strengthened our fortifications. We have over 200 women and children refugees in the legation. The Chinese government has refused transmission to telegrams in cipher until now."

Mr. Broderick also read the following dispatch from Admiral Bruce, filed at Chefoo August 6:

"The allies, about 12,000 strong, attacked the Chinese entrenched position at Heiku, about two miles outside Tien Tsin early this morning. The Chinese were driven out and retired northward, pursued by the allies, who occupied Peitsang. Transports followed up the troops. By road and river the advance upon Pekin has been begun."

This dispatch does not give the date of leaving Tien Tsin.

Mr. Broderick said he thought the messages were, on the whole, satisfactory. The country understood the policy of her majesty's government in regard to China, which was to carry on with absolute firmness and determination the measures taken to preserve the country's interests.

**From the German Legation.**

Berlin, Aug. 8.—The foreign office has received the following dispatch from Herr Bellow, first secretary of the German legation at Pekin, dated Tien-Tsin:

"Since July 21, the situation has not changed. There has been neither attacks by the troops en masse upon us, nor shell fire, only desultory rifle fire. The health of the members of the legation is comparatively good. The wounded are progressing."

### MESSAGE FROM CONGER.

**Minister Asks for Relief at the Earliest Possible Moment.**

Washington, D. C., Aug. 8. The following cablegram from Minister Conger was received last night by the state department:

Tehsin Yamen, Aug. 7.—To Secretary of State: Still besieged. Situation more precarious. Chinese government insisting upon our leaving Pekin, which would be certain death. Fire firing upon us daily by imperial troops. Have abundant courage, but little ammunition or provisions. Two progressive yamen ministers beheaded. All connected with legation of the United States well at the present moment. CONGER.

The above message proves conclusively that not only are the imperial troops again attacking the international representatives at Pekin, but the Chinese government is actually conniving to bring about their assassination.

The message was telephoned to the President. Though no action has been taken yet, it is stated on excellent authority that the United States is nearer declaring war on China at this moment than it has been since the ministers were cut off from communication with the capitals of the world.

**The Government at Fault.**

Though the authorities have had every reason to believe that the Chinese government is responsible for the present condition of affairs that prevails, it has apparently believed the polite fiction that a mob was in control in Pekin and that the imperial government was unable to regain control. Minister Conger's dispatch entirely dissipates any such belief.

Taken in conjunction with previous information received by the authorities there can be no longer any doubt that the Chinese government is directly responsible for the existing situation. It is reiterated with emphasis that the President proposes to hold that government to strict accountability for the occurrences in Pekin.

**Question of Calling Congress.**

Strongly adverse as the administration is to calling Congress together for the purpose of making a formal declaration of war, it is nevertheless a fact that the officials have come to the conclusion that they have ample ground for such action in case it is deemed advisable. At the same time the question of policy necessarily must be considered, and as there is nothing to be gained by a formal declaration, but instead the precipitation of additional complications, it is unlikely that the President will adopt such a course.

While some members of the cabinet desire a declaration of war, at least one frowns upon the suggestion, and he said that he does not see how the Conger message changes the situation. Of course proof of the duplicity of the Chinese government is furnished, but because China is making war upon the United States and other powers it does not necessarily follow that this government and others must declare war on her. A diplomat who spoke of this phase of the Chinese situation said he did not doubt that the powers will term the trouble a state of reprisals and in this way avoid the complications of war.

**Certain Death for Diplomats.**

Minister Conger's statement that it would be certain death for the ministers to leave Pekin confirms the belief of the members of the cabinet. Secretary Hay's principal reason for refusing under any circumstances to consent to any arrangement for escorting the ministers from Pekin until they could be consulted with was grounded on the fear that conditions were just as they are shown to be by Minister Conger's dispatch. It fully justifies the firm stand which the secretary took, and his emphatic declarations to Minister Wu, and, through Consul-General Goodnow, to Li Hung Chang, that no arrangement could be entered into looking to the delivery of the ministers at Tien Tsin until the governments had been put into full communication with them.

### AN INTERVIEW WITH WU.

**Hopes Conger Message will Not be Distorted or Exaggerated.**

Washington, D. C., Aug. 8.—After a brief respite at the seashore, the Chinese minister was again busy today at the Chinese legation. He made an early visit to the state department delivering the edict of August 2, which had been delayed en route, directing Jung Lu to select high officials to escort the foreign ministers from Pekin to Tien Tsin.

Minister Wu showed the utmost concern in the seriousness of the situation. As to the message from Minister Conger he said:

"It is not for me to discuss the Conger telegram, as it speaks for itself, but at such a moment I hope a distorted and exaggerated interpretation will not be placed on the message. Its seriousness I do not question, but I ask the public to take what it says and not draw inferences as to its meaning. It is dated at the Tsi Nan Yamen, which is the yamen of the governor of Shan Tung. It is forwarded direct from the governor to the state department, showing the efforts our officials are making to get through messages between Washington and Pekin. Again, it is in cipher, which shows that there is free communication despite all the statements and criticisms that this free communication was cut off. Mr. Conger's statement that the Chinese government insists upon our leaving Pekin disposes of another story that the government was holding the ministers as hostages. On the contrary it urges them to go and offers an escort to conduct them. Whether it is safe or not, is a matter of individual judgment, and Mr. Conger appears to regard it as unsafe. But I do not care to go further into the details of the message as I do not wish to be in the position of an apologist."

### HARD WORK AHEAD.

**Relief of the Pekin Legations to be No Easy Task.**

London, Aug. 8.—The Chinese have learned to fight. That much is gleaned from the scant accounts of the battle at Peitsang. It is becoming more evident daily that the relief of the Pekin legations will be no easy task. At Peitsang the Chinese fortifications showed great engineering skill, while the army, to quote the British correspondents, used the Boer tactics that proved so effective against the English troops in Africa.

The Daily Express correspondent from Tien Tsin thus describes the battle of Peitsang:

"On Sunday the Chinese were massed in great force on the outskirts and on both banks of the river. The British, Russian and Japanese troops opened fire on the enemy's position with four batteries, and did great execution. It was not, however, until 10 o'clock that the allies succeeded in driving the Chinese from the first position. After fighting desperately for two hours the enemy commenced to retreat. They made way in good order across the bridge spanning the river, which they blew up behind them.

"A large body of Japanese troops waded the stream exposed to a heavy cross-fire and lost heavily, but during the onslaught precipitated the full retreat of the Chinese.

"The Russians sustained severe casualties. The British force lost sixty. The allies' total losses are estimated at from 750 to 1000.

"The military experts agree that the enemy's position has been admirably chosen and well defended, and it is believed the whole line of the advance to Pekin is similarly defended and that the Chinese will hotly contest every mile.

**Dictum of Li Hung Chang.**

"In case the troops advance the Chinese must fight. The suggestion that the allies should be allowed to enter Pekin in order to escort the ministers to Tien Tsin is absolutely impossible."

This is the dictum of Li Hung Chang. It was transmitted last evening to William Pritchard Morgan, member of Parliament for Merthyr Tydvil by his agent at Shanghai. The agent had carried to Earl Li a message from Mr. Morgan urging that the allied troops be allowed to enter the capital, and saying that a settlement could be made at Tien Tsin.

**Li Hung Chang Seeks Throne.**

It is reported in Shanghai that the notorious Li Ping Heng has been appointed generalissimo of the Chinese army and has left Pekin to command the forces in the field.

It is considered in some quarters of London that Li Hung Chang's denunciation of Li Ping Heng is a step in the wily statesman's plan to become the Emperor of China when the allies restore order. It is declared that his refusal to go to Pekin is tantamount to severing all relations with the present dominant power, and he expects Europe will reward his friendliness by placing him on the Chinese throne.

**MacArthur May Send Troops.**

Washington, D. C., Aug. 8.—Secretary Root held a lengthy conference with Acting Secretary Adee in the state department after the visit of the Chinese minister. At its conclusion Mr. Root said that the situation was unchanged so far as the war department is concerned. It is understood that, acting on a precautionary message addressed him some time ago, Gen. MacArthur has so arranged matters in Luzon as to have a considerable body of troops on which he can draw in an emergency to reinforce the international column in China.

**Chinese Cut River Bank.**

Chefoo, Aug. 8.—The Russians have gone out to a village east of Peitsang, where the Chinese are strongly intrenched. The Japanese came in touch with the Chinese outposts Sunday.

Boats have been sunk in the Pei-Ho to hinder progress, while the river bank has been cut, flooding the country to the east.

The Chinese have mined the railway and filled the river with torpedoes. They have three large guns and many smaller ones at Peitsang.

**Escaped in a Coffin.**

Hong Kong, Aug. 8.—Missionaries arrived here from the provinces of Hunan give reports of terrible suffering and privations endured there. In escaping one of them was carried 400 miles in a coffin, the Chinese, out of the veneration for the dead, not insisting on a close scrutiny.

**Looting of Missions.**

Hong Kong, Aug. 8.—News has been received from Swatow, reporting the looting of American missions. Missionaries who have arrived here from the Tonkin district says that the mandarins announce they cannot guarantee protection should European warships enter the river.

### ARREST LI HUNG CHANG.

**England May Take a Hand in Game of Holding Hostages.**

London, Aug. 8.—There is a strong feeling in some quarters here, and expression was given to it in the House of Commons, that a beginning should be made in the game of taking hostages from the Chinese by the immediate arrest of Li Hung Chang. On the other hand, it is said that Li is himself now an object of suspicion and dislike to the fanatical anti-foreign party, of which Li Ping Hong is the chief, and that his seizure would therefore produce little effect on the Manchu clique at Pekin. It might even do more harm than good, since it might alarm and discourage the southern and central viceroys, who have held aloof from the extreme faction at the capital, and have shown an inclination to protect the foreigners if they are certain of European support. The foreign office, while profoundly distrusting Li Hung Chang, is anxious to work with the governors of the Yang Tse provinces as long as possible.

Whatever may happen in North China, the British government is determined to act with vigor in the central region. The two additional Indian brigades which have been ordered to be mobilized at once will both, in all probability, disembark at the mouth of the Yang Tse Kiang. The second of these brigades will include a contingent of what is called imperial service troops, by which is meant the regiments drilled and organized by English officers, but maintained by native Indian feudatory princes. It is significant that the detachments now ordered from India consist entirely of Asiatic troops. The British garrison has been already so seriously depleted that it is not considered safe to diminish it further for the present.

## EDICT OF EMPEROR.

**Declare a Willingness to Give Ministers Safe Conduct to Tien Tsin.**

Washington, D. C., Aug. 8.—The Chinese minister visited the state department today and transmitted to this government the following edict:

An imperial edict of the 8th day of the seventh moon (August 2, 1900,) transmitted by Viceroy Li Hung Chang, Viceroy Liu Kun Yi and Director-General Sheng, under date of August 4, 1900, to Minister Yang at St. Petersburg, and retransmitted by the latter, under date of August 7, and received by Minister Wu on the evening of the last-named date, is as follows:

Li Hung Chang and Liu Kun Yi, in response to their joint memorial proposing the sending of the foreign ministers to Tien Tsin, received on the 8th instant (August 2) the following imperial edict:

Throughout the disturbances recently caused by our subjects on account of Christian missions, which have resulted in a conflict of forces, it has been found necessary to afford protection to all the foreign ministers in Pekin. On repeated occasions the Tsung li yamen sent notes inquiring after their welfare. And as Pekin has not yet been restored to order, and precautionary measures may not secure absolute safety, the foreigner ministers are being consulted as to the proposed plan of detailing troops to escort them safely to Tien Tsin for temporary shelter, so that they may be free from apprehensive anxiety or fear.

We hereby command Jung Lu to appoint, as a preliminary step, trustworthy high civil and military officials who, together with reliable and efficient troops, shall, at such time as the foreign ministers may agree upon for leaving Pekin, escort and protect them throughout their journey. Should lawless characters manifest evil designs upon the ministers or attempt to rob them or in any way create trouble, they (the high officials) shall at once repress them without fail.

If the foreign ministers, before leaving Pekin, should desire to communicate with their respective governments, and if their telegraphic messages should be in plain language, the tsung li yamen shall at once attend to them without the least delay, thus manifesting the utmost friendliness of the imperial government. Respect this.

## LA FOLLETTE IS NAMED.

**Nominated by the Republicans for Governor.**

## TEXT OF THE PLATFORM

**Gen. George E. Bryant Succeeds Joseph B. Treat as State Chairman.**

Milwaukee, Wis., Aug. 8.—The Republican state convention met in the Exposition at noon.

The great hall presented a most animated appearance. The weather was terrifically warm and the delegates took off coats and vests and put handkerchiefs inside their collars and plied fans vigorously. The present state officials, with the exception of governor, were to be renominated.

Gen. George E. Bryant of Madison was chosen chairman of the state central committee. He was agreed upon last evening at a conference of party leaders, including Mr. La Follette and Mr. Babcock. All the persons who had been suggested for the place were talked over. There was some objection to each one. Mr. Babcock suggested the name of Gen. Bryant. It was regarded as an effort to compromise. Someone asked if Bryant's health would permit his accepting the place. Mr. La Follette stated that he knew positively that the general's health would permit his undertaking the duties. This was regarded as an acceptance of the compromise and all resolutions were tabled and the conference adjourned without action, but with a well-understood plan.

Gen. Bryant placed Mr. La Follette in nomination. He is an old and rugged man, a lawyer of Madison who has taken a prominent part in politics for several years and is one of Mr. La Follette's best friends. H. C. Adams, the dairy and food commissioner, was the temporary chairman of the convention and made the opening speech.

The hall was elaborately decorated. There were 1007 delegates, and a large number of visitors present who sat in the chairs reserved for them behind the delegates' seats. The hot weather and the lack of any sharp contest precluded any great show of enthusiasm. Harmony reigned supreme.

The candidates to be nominated for the offices besides governor were as follows:

Lieutenant-Governor—Jesse Stone of Watertown.

Secretary of State—William H. Froehlich of Jackson.

State Treasurer—James O. Davidson of Soldiers' Grove.

Attorney-General—Elmer E. Kicks of Oshkosh.

State Superintendent—Lorenzo D. Harvey of Milwaukee.

Railroad Commissioner—Graham L. Rice of West Superior.

Insurance Commissioner—Emil Giljohann of Milwaukee.

All of these gentlemen hold these positions at present, having served one term and being candidates for a second.

**The Platform.**

The platform as adopted is as follows:

The Republicans of Wisconsin, in convention assembled, heartily endorse the Republican platform adopted at Philadelphia, and pledge their enthusiastic support to the Republican candidates for President and Vice-President.

We endorse the national administration of William McKinley, and the work of our able senators and representatives in Congress.

We endorse the administration of Gov. Scofield, and the other present state officers as clean, capable and businesslike, and heartily commend its efforts towards carrying out the pledges of the Republican state platform adopted by the convention of 1898.

The great reformation effected in our general elections through the Australian ballot inspires us with confidence to apply the same method in making nominations so that every voter may exercise his sovereign right of choice by direct vote without the intervention of interference of any political agency. We therefore demand that caucuses and conventions for the nomination of candidates for office be abolished by legislative enactment, and that all candidates for state, legislative, congressional and county officers be nominated at primary election upon the same day by direct vote under the Australian ballot.

The establishment by the last Republican Legislature of a state tax commission for the purpose of an exhaustive investigation of the complicated questions of taxation, was in accord with principles of sound public policy. This commission will be able to present the fact essential as a basis to sound legislative judgment, and to the enactment of such laws as may be necessary to compel each individual and every corporation transacting business within the state—except such fraternal and other associations as are now expressly exempted from taxation by law—to bear a justly proportionate share of the burden of taxation. To the immediate accomplishment of this end the Republican party of Wisconsin stands pledged.

The growth and development of business and commercial affairs require of necessity large aggregations of capital. Great enterprises may be honestly and fairly conducted with legitimate profits to investment and substantial good to the community; but combinations and trusts that destroy competition, restrain trade and create monopolies should be prohibited by law, and we demand the enactment of such legislation, state and national, as shall render these abuses impossible.

We heartily endorse the action of the last Legislature on the pass question, and demand that the next Legislature take such further action as shall be necessary to submit the constitutional amendment proposed and passed at the last session of the Legislature to a vote of the people for final ratification.

We approve the action of the last Legislature in imposing strict regulations upon lobbying at the state capitol, and demand such further legislation as shall restrict the lobby to legitimate argument before legislative committees.

We demand the enactment and enforcement of laws making character and competency requisites for service in our penal and charitable institutions.

We believe that the demand for better highways made by the farmers of Wisconsin should be encouraged by the state as favoring an improvement of great practical value for agricultural interests.

We pledge the party to an economical administration of public affairs, reducing all expenditures to a business basis.

Besides the platform the following resolution was recommended:

We record our high appreciation of the pronounced ability, invaluable public services, sound Republicanism and devotion to the national administration of John C. Spooner. We receive the announcement of his fixed determination to retire from official and public life, and especially of the cause for such determination, with profound regret.

## VERY CLOSE TO DEATH.

**Workman Badly Injured by Falling Timber at Lake Mills.**

Lake Mills, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special.] Will H. Drake came very near getting killed by a falling timber in tearing down the Methodist church of this place. The timber just missed his head, striking him on the leg. He was badly injured.

The First Methodist church of this place is undergoing large improvements.

## WOMAN LOST IN WOODS.

**Wanders Away from Her Home and Cannot be Found.**

Linn Center, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special.] —On Saturday last Mrs. William Garlock, wife of the buttermaker in the Harvey Godfry factory, north of town, wandered away into the woods. Searching parties each day have been unable to find any trace of her. It is thought that Mrs. Garlock has become insane.

## QUEEN'S SPEECH.

**Victoria Says There will be Suitable Punishment for Chinese Atrocities.**

London, Aug. 8.—Parliament adjourned today after the appropriation bill had been passed by both Houses.

The Queen's speech at the proroguing of Parliament after stating that the relations with the powers of Europe and America continue friendly and a reference to the establishment of the commonwealth of Australia, refers to the war in South Africa, "which has placed in the strongest light the heroism and high military qualities of the troops brought together under my banner from this country, from Canada, Australia and my South African possessions."

The speech then says: "Believing the continued independence of the republics to be a constant danger to the peace of South Africa, I authorized the annexation of the Free State as a first step to the union of the races under an institution which may in time be developed so as to secure equal rights and privileges in South Africa."

Referring to China, the speech from the throne says: "The British and other legations at Pekin have been unexpectedly attacked by an insurgent mob, and it is feared many of their inmates have been murdered. How far the Chinese authorities are accomplices in this atrocious crime, and whether the British minister and his family are among the victims, are matters still in some uncertainty. The utmost efforts will be made by myself and my allies will visit with worthy punishment the authors of this unexampled crime."

After a reference to the Ashanti rising, the speech devotes a few words to the distress caused by the famine and plague in India and thanks the Commons for the liberality with which they responded to the unusual financial demands due to the war, and adds that the satisfactory progress of the campaign gives fair ground for hoping that the excessive requirements of military expenditure will soon be abated.

The speech closes with the usual reference to the sessions of legislation.

The closing hours of the session in the House of Commons were enlivened by the sharp replies of the secretary of state for the colonies, Mr. Chamberlain, to his political critics.

An innovation in the Queen's speech which caused some comment was the mentioning of America specifically. The speeches from the throne usually allude to the powers generally or to the European powers.

## WYNDHAM IS CAUTIOUS.

**Not Ready to Fix Date of Close of the South African War.**

London, Aug. 8.—With all the trouble in China on hand, there is more impatience than ever to be quit of the Boer war so as to enable Lord Roberts to spare an army corps, or a division at least, for China, but the end is not yet reached. When questioned on the subject in the House of Commons, Mr. Wyndham cautiously declined to fix a date for the close of the operations.

The war office has received a dispatch from Lord Roberts announcing that Harrismith had surrendered to Gen. MacDonald, so that through railway communication is now re-established between Natal and the Orange River colony. Another telegram from the commander-in-chief shows that Frederick Carrington, with his mounted infantry from Rhodesia, is now in touch with the Boers in the center of the Transvaal.

At the same time the guerrilla war goes on, and while Gen. Dewet is still at large small parties of Gen. Botha's men are harassing the outposts, capturing stores and driving in patrols in the vicinity of Pretoria itself.

London, Aug. 8.—The following dispatch from Lord Roberts has been received at the war office:

"As Warren has pacified the Western districts of Cape Colony, I am allowing him to return home and am replacing the whole of the troops in the colony under Forestier-Walker."

## AERONAUT DROPS TO DEATH.

**Slips from His Trapeze in Michigan and is Instantly Killed.**

Holland, Mich., Aug. 8.—John Drew of Grand Rapids, Mich., an aeronaut 19 years old, was instantly killed at Macatawa, Mich., while trying to make a parachute drop into Lake Michigan. Great crowds on both sides of the bay witnessed the ascent of the balloon to a height of 500 or 600 feet, and all agree that when Drew cut the parachute loose it became twisted or momentarily entangled, and the sudden fall unclasped his hands from the trapeze bar, to which he had neglected to attach his safety belt. He struck in shallow water in Black lake, two rods from Macatawa shore, and was dead when his body was recovered by the lifesaving crew. His ribs were crushed and the body otherwise bruised.

## INSURANCE COMPANY PAYS UP

**Mrs. Hillmon-Smith Receives $22,000 After Twenty-One Years.**

Leavenworth, Kas., Aug. 8.—The Mutual Life Insurance company of New York had settled its case with Mrs. Sallie E. Hillmon-Smith by paying $22,000 cash. This is the second of the three original defendant companies to settle, leaving the Connecticut Mutual still holding out. The case has been in the courts for twenty-one years and has had six trials.

About ten days ago a writ of execution was issued against the insurance company and placed in the hands of the United States marshal to levy on the property of the company in this city. Shortly after the writ was issued J. C. Allen, counsel for the company, arrived and opened negotiations for a settlement.

## BOTH WERE KILLED.

**Remarkable Marksmanship of a Pair of Duelists in Florida.**

Pensacola, Fla., Aug. 8.—A duel in which both participants were killed took place at Grand Ridge, Jackson county, this state. A negro desperado named Washington, who was wanted by the authorities for several offenses, had armed himself and swaggered through the town during the forenoon defying arrest, when Kelly Sullivan, a private citizen, volunteered to arrest him. A warrant was placed in Sullivan's hands, whereupon he approached the negro, when the latter drew his pistol and fired. Sullivan, anticipating the negro's intention, also drew and fired. Both shots, which were nearly simultaneous, took effect. Both men fell and shortly thereafter expired.

**Choate as Arbitrator.**

London, Aug. 8.—United States Ambassador Choate has been appointed arbitrator between the British and Chinese governments and in the case of the sinking of the British dispatch boat Kow Shing during the Chino-Japanese war.

The Kow Shing, Capt. Gatsworthy, while conveying Chinese troops, was attacked by Japanese warships and sunk off Asan July 25, 1894. Capt. Gatsworthy escaped to the Japanese, but many were killed.

# Captain Brabazon

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A Military Romance of South Africa

CHAPTER XXIII.—(Continued.)

The door of the drawing room was blocked and they hung outside for a considerable time, like a couple of Peris at the gate. At last they gradually succeeded in edging their way in, and found an immense, long room with seats all down the center, and an impromptu stage at the further end, immediately facing the audience was a huge picture frame filled in with curtains, which, when parted, revealed some scenes. Just at the present moment there was a dead silence, a cessation of whispering and laughing, as the curtains slowly parted and revealed "Helen of Troy," a tall, white-robed, golden-diademed form, thrown out by a dusky background. The present personator was beautiful enough to represent the Spartan Queen whose face had launched a thousand ships. The audience gazed at the lovely living picture for some time in appreciative silence, then, as the curtain gradually hid her from their gaze, they burst into long and hearty applause. The tableau was over, the people began to talk, to look about, and finally to move, and a great wave of human faces was soon set toward the door, seeing which our two friends retreated and sought sanctuary, with other belated folk, in a fern-embowered alcove on the stairs, from which coign of vantage they could see the whole company file past in double review order.

"We will have to go and make our bow to Mrs. Bohun before we follow the multitude," said Captain Gee; "and this gives one a splendid chance of seeing who is here," indicating with a jerk of his head the stream of people now pouring out of the doorway. "Look at that lady with the long neck and big eyes; she is thought a great beauty. She's not my style," superciliously. "Do you see those two coming out? They are American heiresses. And that's a very pretty girl in black, behind the big woman in red satin. Here she is. What do you think of her? There's nothing like England, home and beauty, eh? Here she comes! Now," enforcing his remark with a sharp nudge.

Miles obediently looked as he was bidden, and saw within two steps of him on the crowded staircase a girl in black, carrying an enormous white bouquet, arm-in-arm with a ruddy-faced young man, who was talking to her with eager empressment. She was listening with a smile, her gaze bent on the ground. A block in front compelled them to halt, and, raising her eyes, Esme found herself once more face to face with her faithless Cousin Miles. And it would be hard to say which was the paler of the two. This sudden meeting was a shock to both. Each saw in the other the embodiment of two years' tribulation—standing within two feet.

Esme was certainly the most startled. She had been thinking of Miles as far away in South Africa, among the Boers and Kaffirs, and to come upon him quite unexpectedly in a crowd on a London lobby nearly turned her to stone. She was so overwhelmed with astonishment that she stared vacantly at him without any token of recognition, and in another moment, pressed forward by the crowd, she had passed downstairs.

Captain Gee, who had been looking at her with all the power of his keen, little, light eyes, was amazed at the instantaneous alteration her face had undergone. The soft curves about her smiling lips, and her lovely color had disappeared as if by magic, and left instead a rigid expression and a deathlike pallor. Was she going to faint? Who or what had been the cause of this electrical effect? He glanced involuntarily at his friend, and beheld the same extraordinary change reflected in his countenance. The look of easy, careless indifference had given place to one of proud immobility; and yet he was pale, even through his African tan. What ailed him? What ailed her? The secret was revealed to him in one flash—he was generally very successful in jumping to conclusions—the girl in black was Esme, poor Teddy's sister, Miles' forsaken bride!

Before he had time to put his thoughts into the form of a question a very piquant, little, dark lady, clad in primrose tulle and blazing with diamonds, had paused in front of his companion, with a stifled exclamation, and, holding out her hand very eagerly, exclaimed:

"Why, Miles! It is Miles! Who on earth would have expected to find you here? How very rude of you not to come and see me. Pray, where have you dropped from?"

"From South Africa this morning," he returned laconically, and now with completely restored self-possession.

"Mr. Trent," said Gussie, sweetly, now turning to her cavalier, and withdrawing her hand from his arm with affected reluctance, "this is my cousin, whom I've not seen for ages, just home from the Cape. If you don't mind I'll go down with him," and, with a charming smile Mr. Trent was coolly dismissed, and Miles before he had time to realize the fact found himself walking downstairs arm-in-arm with Gussie, leaving Captain Gee glaring after them with an expression of indignant amazement, and muttering angry ejaculation sunder his little sandy mustache.

CHAPTER XXIV.

Mr. Hepburn was by no means a stupid young man, and he had n[illegible] failed to notice his partner's violent start, her sudden silence, and her sinking color. In his own mind he attributed these symptoms to a dark, soldierly looking fellow they had passed on the stairs. Her faint request for a glass of water, the shaking flowers in her hand, all indicated some unusual and painful agitation: for Miss Esme was a serene, self-possessed young lady, and not given to demonstrations. He had known that his case was quite hopeless, and, strange and uncommon as it may appear, was content, at any rate resigned, to range himself as friend. If he had wanted further testimony that her heart could never be his, it had now been meted out to him abundantly.

"Esme, come here!" cried the tactless, the reckless Augusta, who considered it a good thing to get this meeting over, and was fully resolved that it should take place in her presence. "She would not miss it for anything," she told herself, emphatically; and it was best to put everything on a comfortable footing once for all. "Don't you see Miles? He only arrived to-day!" pointing to him with her fan.

Of course Esme saw Miles; she was not blind. She put out her hand very promptly, and said, in a cool, civil tone of voice:

"How do you do, Miles?" meeting her late lover's troubled gaze with the utmost composure.

He uttered something inaudible. He was not nearly as self-possessed as the young lady; but then she had been schooling herself for this ordeal, and she would sooner die than allow her faithless cousin to imagine that he was anything to her now but the most indifferent acquaintance.

Mr. Hepburn and Gussie gazed with eager interest at this little drama in real life. It was a tableau vivant not included in the program; one at which they were the only spectators, although the room was crowded; none but they knew that the couple before them had not met since the eve of what was to have been their wedding day! They seemed like the rest of the company to the casual, careless eye—a tall, pretty, pale girl, a bronzed, dark young man, talking society platitudes; but sharp-sighted Gussie observed how grave Miles was, how strangely set his mouth, how formal his sentences; and Mr. Hepburn was not to be deceived by Miss Brabazon's present easy manner, and soft, society smiles—they were assumed for the occasion.

"Miles, I wish to present you to Mrs. Bohun," spoke Captain Gee, and Miles, having made a deep obeisance to his majestic hostess, and uttered one or two disjointed remarks, was despotically borne away, and introduced to a lively young maiden in an aesthetic white garment, with a tousled head, adorned with a very pointed, fierce-looking green wreath.

Miles mechanically conveyed his partner to the music room and found her a seat. Luckily for him she was a very loquacious individual; he had only to smile, or nod, and drop an occasional monosyllable, to maintain his share of the conversation; and all the time he was revolving this one burning question in his head, "How am I to get away?" To be forced to meet Esme and Hepburn—to stand calmly by and see another man in his place—was unbearable! Esme and Mr. Hepburn were seated in a window nearly opposite, and, do as he would, he could not help seeing them—nor resist looking at them. The young lady beside him, who had not caught his name, and who had been relating one or two interesting anecdotes of the company to his inattentive ear, observed that his eyes frequently strayed in one direction, and quite misinterpreting his gaze, said:

"I see you are looking at Miss Brabazon; is she not too utterly perfect—just a picture? I know her; we attend the same cooking class."

"Indeed!" now all close, concentrated attention.

"She is such a nice girl, and immensely admired, but she does not care for anything of that sort. I do think it is so sweet of her," pausing and surveying Esme, with melancholy meditation.

"What do you mean?" rather sharply. "Why does she not care?"

"There is," promptly responding to this sudden show of interest, "a very romantic story about her. They say she will never marry, because once," lowering her voice, "she cared very much for some man; he was in the army, I believe, the wedding day was fixed, indeed the bride was dressed, the church decorated, and he never came; he left the country. Was it not quite too utterly awful? Some people say that she was to blame, that she had flirted with someone else. Still it was a frightful thing to happen to any girl, was it not?" opening her eyes very wide, and surveying her companion interrogatively.

"Why—who told you this? How did you hear it?" he asked, in a strange voice.

"An intimate friend of theirs told me. She begged me not to mention it, and," coloring guiltily, "of course I don't; but to you, a stranger, it does not matter. It gives her an interest to you, does it not—and accounts for her rather sad and deliciously weary expression," she concluded, with rapturous enthusiasm.

"I am not a stranger," returned Miles, quickly, seized by some ungovernable impulse that made him speak in spite of himself. "I can tell you even more than what you have been so good as to relate to me. I can tell you the whole story," with a look of stern resolve. "Would you care to hear it?"

"Yes, I should," she returned, with frank curiosity, and a glance of mild interrogation, wondering much at the extraordinary change in his voice and manner. This new acquaintance of hers, with the somber dark eyes and preoccupied manner, was evidently swayed by variable moods.

"Then listen to me," suddenly leaning toward her, and speaking in a low, impressive whisper, an action not lost upon his late lady love. "I was the man!"

"You?" ejaculated the girl, faintly. "Oh, no, you are joking; you look the very last person in the world, I am sure," hesitating.

"To be guilty of such disgraceful conduct," he added, completing the sentence for her. "Nevertheless it is true; I was the bridegroom who left the country; it was all owing to a mistake, a frightful delusion, that has cost me pretty dear."

There was a frankness and simplicity about this confession that almost took away his hearer's breath. She looked at him, then she looked across at Esme, trying vainly to think of some effective and sympathetic remark, to recover the power of expression.

"You will think it strange that I should tell you; I don't explain why, but I wish you to know that it was my fault from first to last. I fancied—I—I was under a delusion about someone else, and I," glancing over involuntarily at Esme, who was now quite feverishly gay, "am the only sufferer. If you hear the story again, you, at any rate, know the sequel," he added in a low voice.

The mediaeval-looking maiden beside him was mute. Her bewildered, nervous, puzzled stare was a sight to see; so aghast was she at Captain Brabazon's amazing announcement as to be quite run short of words until he started another less personal topic. Meanwhile Mr. Hepburn was leaning closely and confidentially on the back of Esme's chair, presumably whispering soft nothings into her not inattentive ear, and now and then casting a rapid, but searching glance over in the direction of Miles; glances wrongly interpreted by that hot-tempered gentleman as so many triumphant challenges, calling to his notice the fact that the jewel he had spurned, and cast away, had been won, and would be worn, by one who knew its value.

An hour later Mrs. Vashon and her sister were rolling homeward in the little green brougham, tete-a-tete at last.

"Well, Esme," exclaimed her chaperon, impressively, "was it not extraordinary our meeting Miles to-night? I nearly screamed when I saw him on the stairs; I positively thought it was his ghost! How nice he is! I wish poor dear Freddy had a little of his good looks. All the same, looks bring in no income, and you are not to think of him, my love." She paused expressively, and drew up the window.

"You need not alarm yourself, Gussie; everything was at an end long ago between Miles and me," she replied with an averted face, and a shade of frost in her tone.

(To be continued.)

## BEAUTY'S GREATEST FOE.

### An Ill-Temper Is Always Sure to Ruin Its Victim's Beauty.

Bad temper and worry will trace more wrinkles in one night than hot and cold bathing and massage and complexion brushes and creams and lotions can wash out in a year's faithful application. Physicians assert that an immense amount of nerve-force is expended in every fit of bad temper; that when one little part of the nervous system gets wrong the face first records it. The eyes begin losing the luster of youth, muscles become flabby, the skin refuses to contract accordingly, and the inevitable result is wrinkles, femininity's fiercest and most insidious foe. There is no use attempting to reason with a woman about the evil effects of ill-temper while she is in an ugly mood. She knows perfectly well that it is bad form; that it savors of the coarse and underbred; that it is weak and belittling and immoral, and that it hurts her cause to lose her temper. But she does not stop at just that time to think about it, and to remind her of the fact only adds fuel to the flames.

But when she is cool and serene and at peace with all the world, if you can convince her that each fit of temper adds a year to her age by weakening her mental force by tracing—crow-tracks about her eyes and telltale lines around her mouth, she will probably think twice before again forgetting herself. For no matter what she asserts to the contrary, woman prizes youth and beauty above every other gift the gods hold it in their power to bestow upon mortals.—Woman's Home Companion.

### Animal Actors in London.

Every year there are simultaneously required several hundreds of horses and ponies alone for stage purposes—quite unconnected with circuses—and such animals and others are trained specially with a view to their value when let out on hire. Most of these animals are, of course, wanted for the pageants of pantomimes, but the great run on military and racing pieces of late years has insured a constant demand for trained horses, the last year's touring season alone accounting for over fifty of these animals. Again, the managers of touring companies visiting small towns have of late taken a leaf out of the circus man's book, and have found that for the "leading man" in a "horsey" or military piece to take his rides constantly about the towns visited has insured a degree of advertisement that a score of posters would scarcely give. The stage horse provider has of late years, too, found ready customers in the stars of the music halls, who are not now content with having horses for their London rounds, but take into the provinces showy steeds that excite attention when ridden through the streets. This sort of catering for stage folks is a separate branch of business, and at the present time one firm following it have out on hire more than two hundred horses.

### Improving Them.

"Very often," remarked the long-haired man, "the printer mixes up words in my poems, thus creating different meanings and thoughts from what I intended."

"That so?" inquired the practical man. "How much does he charge you?"—Indianapolis Sun.

### The Venerable Bede.

St. Bede the Venerable's feast day is to be observed by Roman Catholics all over the world as well as in England from 1901 on, according to a recent decree of the sacred congregation of rites. His day in the calendar will be May 27, his birthday.

### The Weather Prophets.

Bill—I see it only rains about once a year in Lower Egypt, on the coast of the Mediterranean.

Jill—And I don't suppose the weather clerks out there can locate that day.—Yonkers Statesman.

## DESERTS HER HUSBAND.

### Holland Heiress, Who Eloped to Appleton, Tires of Him.

## RETURNS TO HER HOME

### Aristocratic Girl Found American Farm Life Too Slow and Husband Uninteresting.

Appleton, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.] A love romance, which had its beginning in Holland with the elopement of an aristocratic heiress with her coachman, and has developed on two continents, came to an unhappy end last week in an obscure farming hamlet in Iowa, when the heiress deserted her coachman husband and returned to the land of her birth.

Early last April there arrived in Appleton Marie Aaltsz, daughter of the late Prof. Aaltsz, teacher of languages in the University of Amsterdam, and sister of Capt. Aaltsz of the Royal navy of Holland. With her was Adrian Schoenmacher, who had long been coachman in the Aaltsz family, with whom she had eloped from Amsterdam, and despite the active measures of relatives escaped with him to America, where immediately upon landing they were married by a justice in Hoboken. From New York they came directly to Appleton, and after visiting several weeks in the family of Cornelius Meyer, a well known Grand Chute farmer and relative of the bridegroom, went to Iowa and settled on a farm purchased with the bride's money.

### Tired of Rough Life.

For a time all went well, but gradually the rougher manners of her coachman husband began to grate upon the finer sensibilities of the refined lady. The monotony and isolation of farm life also engendered within her a longing for her former mode of life, and presently was established between them an incompatibility, with the result that the heiress left her husband in possession of the farm she had purchased, and went direct to New York, from whence she sailed last week for Holland. Her expressed intentions are not to seek a reconciliation with her family, which she regards as impossible, but being possessed of a considerable property left her independently by her father, will purchase a home in Holland and live alone.

### Trying to Win Her Back.

Schoenmacher, the husband, is still living on the Iowa farm, and his intentions are not known by Appleton relatives. It is considered probable, however, that he will eventually follow her and try to bring about a reconciliation, especially if she does not rejoin her family. When the couple arrived here the bride had with her considerable ready money, with which she proposed to establish her husband in some business. His slowness in acquiring a knowledge of the language and of American customs and manners, led to a change of plan in favor of farming, and Mrs. Schoenmacher has still in her possession the bulk of the money she brought over.

## OCONOMOWOC BOY PROBABLY DROWNED.

### Harry Shephard Disappears from the Steamer Nyack in Midlake.

Oconomowoc, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—The passenger who disappeared from aboard the steamer Nyack last Thursday night, bound from Grand Haven, Mich., to Milwaukee, was Harry Shephard, aged 21 years and 6 months, and a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Shephard of this city. Harry had been at work for the Wisconsin Telephone company in Michigan and was on his way home to join Co. M. of the National guard at Camp Douglas. Walter H. Dupee, who was returning from Grand Haven, saw the young man at midnight, but when the boat reached port in the morning Harry's hat and baggage were found, but he had disappeared, presumably having fallen overboard. Mr. Shephard, the father, is making every effort to learn more regarding his son's disappearance and who, if possible, his companions were who left Grand Haven with him.

## END OF WRECKED LIFE.

### Delett Hall of Koshkonong Drowned—He Lived in Solitude and Died Alone.

Milton Junction, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—The body of Delett Hall was recovered from Lake Koshkonong Saturday night. Hall was last seen Wednesday, when he started from his camp on the east shore of the lake in a rowboat. He was missed Saturday, and his overturned boat was found about a half-mile off Pierce's point. The body was found near the boat.

Hall was formerly a railroad man. Upon the death of his mother at the homestead on the lake, Hall returned from the West, and in a quarrel over family money affairs, it is alleged, he stabbed his brother, George Hall. The wound did not prove fatal and Hall was released without trial. Since then he has been living the life of a fisherman at Koshkonong. His father, Chauncey Hall, resides in Fort Atkinson, and is well known to frequenters at Koshkonong.

## FIGHT IN POLICE CIRCLES.

### Mayor of Appleton Claims Right to Fill Vacancies.

Appleton, Wis., August 6. [Special.]—A fight is on between the mayor and the board of police and fire commissioners. A vacancy recently occurred in the police force, and the mayor, claiming that under the law he is chief of the police department, appointed a man to fill the vacancy, but this appointment was not recognized by the board and the chief of police. A civil-service examination was held as provided by law and from the candidates certified as passed, Chief of Police Hoefer appointed a man who for the past three weeks has been on duty. The mayor's candidate was also a candidate before the board of examiners, passed the examination and was again certified to the board by the mayor as having been appointed, which communication the board again ignored. At the last session of the common council the claim of the policeman appointed by the chief for salary was disallowed. The commissioners will meet tonight and both the mayor and chief will present their cases before them. If an agreement is not reached before the commission the matter will be carried into the courts.

## APPOINTS GEORGE OVERTON.

### He Becomes Superintendent of Winnebago County Schools.

Madison, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—George Overton of Butte Des Mortes has been appointed by Supt. Harvey as county superintendent of Winnebago county, to succeed O. E. Pedersen, who resigned to become cashier of a new bank at Ladysmith, Forest county.

## OFFICIAL CEREMONY.

### President McKinley and Cabinet to Attend Humbert Memorial at Washington.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 7.—Baron Fava, the Italian ambassador, announces that a memorial funeral service will be held at Washington on August 19, at 11 o'clock, in honor of King Humbert. President McKinley has already signified his purpose to come on from Canton and be present at the official ceremony and members of the cabinet in the city will also be present. The service will be at St. Matthew's Catholic church, with Cardinal Gibbons, as the principal dignitary of the church, officiating. All the embassies and legations in Washington have received invitations to be present, the foreign representatives being required to attend in uniform. Most of the ambassadors and ministers are out of the city, but they are expected to return or send members of their staff to represent them

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at this formal tribute to Italy's dead ruler. It is expected that Lord Pauncefote will not be able to come on from Newport, but will designate Mr. Lawther or another member of his staff to represent the British government.

In diplomatic quarters the announcement of this service at a Catholic church occasioned some little surprise in view of the conditions existing between the church and the Temporal authorities at home and the announcement was accepted as a most pleasant augury of the growing good feeling between the Vatican and the Quirinal. In this connection it was recalled that when the assassination of King Humbert was announced to the Pope, he decided that a mass be said for the dead monarch, at which the aged pontiff himself was the celebrant.

### New King Takes Oath Saturday.

Rome, Aug. 7.—Signor Villa invited the deputies to take part in the funeral and announced that the new King would take the oath next Saturday in the Senate before the two chambers.

The House then arose amid cries of "Long live the King."

### Humbert's Will Found.

Milan, Aug. 7.—The new sovereigns leave on Wednesday evening for Rome, where they will arrive the following morning. Prince Victor Napoleon is hourly expected in Rome from Brussels. The long-searched-for will has at length been found.

The Duke of Aosta and the Count of Turin are to accompany the body of Humbert from Monza, whither it is rumored that the royal family will not return.

### Plan's for Bresci's Trial.

Bresci's trial will be held here, and for this reason the ministers and President Villa of the tribunal that is to try the assassin will arrive here today. The sentence condemning Bresci, about whose fate there can be little doubt, will be the first pronounced in the name of Victor Emanuel III.

## YELLOWSTONE TIMBER ON FIRE

### Flames Said to Extend Over Ten Miles of Territory.

Helena, Mont., Aug. 7.—Fire is sweeping through the vast timbered area between the upper geyser basin and Yellowstone lake in the national park. It started Friday, and was soon beyond the control of the soldiers and road crews who were hurried to the scene. Deputy United States Marshal Sam Jackson said:

"It would take all the men in Montana and Wyoming to put out that fire. When I left it was said that the fire line extended for ten miles and was undoubtedly spreading. The timber in that region is dense and of pretty good size. It is dry and the wind fairly sweeps the flames through the tops of the big pines. The timber on the continental divide is heavier than in most sections of the park, and the fear is expressed that the fire will sweep through a great portion of it. It is said to be the worst fire that ever devastated the timbered regions of the park. The buildings at the upper geyser basin were in danger from the fire. If the fire is not checked before it reaches the timber surrounding the basin the buildings will surely be burned."

## MRS. LOGAN'S EXPENSES.

### Reported to Have Sent Drafts on Mr. Joy for $45,000.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 7.—Neither Representative Joy nor Mrs. Logan offers a denial of the story that they are at outs over the expense account of last winter's European trip. Instead they seem to have reached the point where they have agreed to agree insofar as not giving out information is concerned. When Representative Joy was approached on the subject he smiled and said: "I have nothing to say." When it was suggested that he was doing Mrs. Logan an injustice to allow the story to circulate without denial that Mrs. Logan had sent in a charge of $45,000 for last winter's traveling expenses, and that, as he was dissatisfied, he had demanded an itemized bill, he replied: "It is purely a personal matter and I refuse to discuss it." When Mrs. Logan was asked about the matter she replied: "I have nothing to say."

The story which neither Representative Joy nor Mrs. Logan will discuss is that Mrs. Logan, at the request of Representative and Mrs. Joy, took Mrs. Joy to Europe for a health trip, and that she drew on the representative for sums aggregating $45,000.

## ASSAYS $7000 TO THE TON.

### Remarkably Rich Strike is Reported at the Bald Butte Mine.

Helena, Mont., Aug. 7.—A phenomenally rich gold strike is reported at the Bald Butte mine, west of Helena. One assay showed a value of $7100 per ton, while another, which is believed to be an average sample of the pay streak, ran $2700 per ton. The vein is about 2 feet in width and from actual development 260 feet in length, and from indications observed in the cross-cutting now in progress it is believed it will reach 600, if not more. The Bald Butte is one of the most noted mines in the state, having been a steady producer for ten years and paid over $1,000,000 in dividends, which will be greatly increased by this new uncovering, which is regarded as one of the richest gold strikes made in Montana during the last decade. The mine is owned largely by local capitalists.

### Sherlock Holmes in Disguise.

Three weeks ago Jerome Sykes and several friends spent a week at Elberon, N. J. The morning following their arrival they went into a barber shop. One of the party noticed a fireman's hat and belt hanging on the wall near "No. 1's" chair. "You are a fireman," said he to the barber. "How do you know that?" asked the barber, surprised that a stranger should know that he "ran with the machine." Jerome Sykes, too, looked surprised. "Foxy Quiller!" laughed the wag, winking at Sykes and pointing to the fire hat and belt. "The quintessence of all human intelligence," faintly murmured the big comedian. "That's what one gets when one's to play a Sherlock Holmes character, even in comic opera."

### They Learn the Use of Smudges.

A curious bit of adaptation to circumstances may be seen in summer among the cattle of the swamp lands along the Mississippi. From July to mid-September blood-sucking insects—mosquitoes, flies, gnats and so on, are so bad there cattle are sometimes in danger of their lives. So are people, unless they make smudges—that is to say, fires so thickly smothered they fill the air with clouds of smoke and thus drive away the pests. The cattle soon learn the use and value of the smudges.—New York Sun.

## MARKET REPORTS.

Milwaukee, Aug. 8, 1900.

### EGG AND DAIRY PRODUCT.

MILWAUKEE—Eggs—Market firm at 11c for new, cases included; 10½c for new, cases returned; 10¾c for old, cases included; dirties and seconds, 7@8c. The receipts were 111 cases.

Butter—Market firmer and ½c higher for extra creamery. The receipts were 20,125 lbs today against 8190 yesterday. There is a good demand for choice creamery. Dairy scarce and wanted. The local demand continues good and top prices are easily realized for fancy stock. Fancy prints, 20@20½c; fancy or extra creamery, per lb, 19½@20c; firsts, 17c; seconds, 15c; extra dairy, 15c; lines, 12@14c; packing stock, 11@12c; whey butter, 9c; imitation creamery, 15@16c; grease, 4@6c.

Cheese—Firm. The receipts today were 8145 lbs against 8235 yesterday. Full cream flats, new, colored, 10@10½c; New York, full cream flats, new colored, 10@10½c; Young Americas, new, 10@11c; brick, 9½@10c; limburger, per lb, 9@9½c; imported Swiss, 21c; Block Swiss, domestic, 12@12½c; No. 1 imitation loaf, 14½@15c; Sapsago, 19@20c; farmers', 10@11c. There is a good local demand for all grades of cheese. Brick was offered on the board for 9½c.

NEW YORK—Butter—Receipts, 7391 pkgs; steady; creamery, 17@20c; current packed factory, 14@15½c. Cheese—Receipts, 1508 pkgs; firm; large colored, 9¾@9¾c; small colored, 10¼c; large white, 9¾@9¾c; small white, 10¼c. Eggs—Receipts, 10,311 pkgs; steady; Western at mark, 11@13½c for average lots; Western, loss off, 15½c. Sugar—Raw steady. Coffee—Steady.

CHICAGO—Butter—Firm; creameries, 15@20c; dairies, 14@17c. Eggs—Firm; fresh, 12c. Iced poultry—Dull; turkeys, 7@7½c; chickens, 9c; chickens, spring, 10@10½c; ducks, 8c.

SHEBOYGAN—Offerings were 1764 boxes. Sales were 760 boxes daisies at 10⅜c; 319 boxes Young Americas at 10⅜c; 462 boxes at 10¼c; 167 boxes twins at 10c; 47 boxes longhorns 10¼c, and 30 boxes at 10⅜c.

PLYMOUTH—Eighteen factories offered 1828 boxes cheese. Sales: 351 daisies at 10⅜c; 795 at 10⅜c; 295 twins at 10c; 120 at 10⅜c; 227 Young Americas at 10⅜c; 40 longhorns at 10⅜c.

SEYMOUR—Sales of cheese today were 431 flats at 9⅞c; 233 daisies at 10c.

### MILWAUKEE LIVESTOCK MARKET.

HOGS—Receipts, 3 cars; market 5c higher; light, 5.30@5.45; mixed and medium weights, 5.30@5.45; common to choice heavy, 5.25@5.45; common to good packers, 5.10@5.30.

CATTLE—Receipts, 3 cars; steady; butcher steers, medium to good, 1050 to 1200 lbs, 4.50@5.25; fair to medium, 950 to 1050, 4.00@4.50; heifers, good to choice, 3.25@4.00; cows, fair to good, 3.00@3.40; canners, 2.25@2.65; bulls, common, 2.50@3.00; choice, 3.25@3.75; feeders, 800 to 950 lbs, 3.50@3.75; stockers, 500 to 750 lbs, 3.00@3.50; veal calves, 5.00@6.25; milkers and springers, common to choice, 20.00@45.00.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1 car; market weak, 2.75@3.75; bucks, 2.00@3.00; spring lambs, 4.50@5.25.

Chicago receipts: Hogs, 22,000; cattle, 15,000; sheep, 14,000.

### MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

MILWAUKEE—Flour—Steady. Wheat—Lower; No. 2 spring, on track, 73c; No. 1 Northern, on track, 76½c. Corn—Steady; No. 3 on track, 39½c. Oats—Easy; No. 2 white, on track, 25½c; No. 3 white, on track, 24½@25c. Barley—Steady; No. 2 on track, 48c; sample on track, 42@48c. Rye—Dull; No. 1 on track, 51c. Provisions—Lower; pork, 11.75; lard, 6.82.

Flour is steady at 4.10@4.25 for patents; bakers', 3.10@3.25, and 3.10@3.25 for rye.

Millstuffs are steady and quoted at 13.25@13.50 for bran, 14.25@14.50 for standard middlings and 15.50@15.75 for Milwaukee flour middlings.

CHICAGO—Close—Wheat—August, 74⅛c; September, 75⅜c; October, 76⅛c. Corn—August, 37⅛@38c; September, 37⅜c; October, 37⅜c. Oats—August, 21⅜c; September, 21⅜c; October, 22c; September, No. 2 white, 23⅜c. Pork—August, 14.72½; September, 11.77½; October, 11.86. Lard—August, 6.80; September, 6.82½; October, 6.85@6.87½; November, 6.80; December, 6.70; January, 6.70. Ribs—August, 7.15; September, 7.15; October, 7.10; January, 6.10; December, 6.25. Flax—Cash N. W., 1.32; S. W., 1.32; August, 1.27½; September, 1.26½; October, 1.23½. Rye—August, 49⅛c; September, 49⅛c; October, 50⅛c. Barley—Cash, 34@45c. Timothy—September, 3.35; October, 3.35. Clover—October, 9.00.

ST. LOUIS—Close—Wheat—Lower; No. 2 red cash, 72¼c; August, 72c; September, 72⅜c; No. 2 hard, 70@70½c. Corn—Lower; No. 2 cash, 37c; August, 37c; September, 36½c; December and year, 33⅛c. Oats—Lower; No. 2 cash, 20½c; August, 20½c; September, 21c; December, 22⅛c; No. 2 white, 24⅛c. Lead—Steady, 4.20. Spelter—Quiet, 4.05.

DULUTH—Wheat—Cash No. 1 hard, 79⅜c; No. 1 Northern, 77⅜c; No. 2 Northern, 76⅛c; No. 3, 72⅜c; No. 1 hard, to arrive, old, 79⅜c; No. 1 Northern, to arrive, old, 77⅜c; new No. 1 hard, 79⅜c; No. 1 Northern, 77⅜c; September, 77⅜c; December, 77⅜c.

NEW YORK—Close—Wheat—September, 80⅜c; December, 82⅜c; March, 85⅜c. Corn—September, 43⅛c; December, 40c; May, 40⅛c.

MINNEAPOLIS—Close—Wheat—In store, No. 1 Northern, September, 74⅛@74⅜c; December, 76c; on track, No. 1 hard, 77⅛c; No. 1 Northern, 75⅛c; No. 2 Northern, 73⅛c.

KANSAS CITY—Close—Wheat—September, 65⅛c; cash No. 2 hard, 66@67c; No. 2 red, 73@75⅛c. Corn—September, 35⅛c; December, 32⅛c; cash No. 2 mixed, 38@38⅛c, No. 2 white, 38⅛c. Oats—No. 2 white, 24@25c.

LIVERPOOL—Close—Wheat—Quiet, ⅛d lower; September, 6s1⅛d; December, 6s2⅜d. Corn—Quiet, unchanged to ⅛d higher; September, 3s11⅜d; October, 3s11⅜d; November, 4s.

ST. LOUIS—Cattle—Receipts, 3200; market steady; native steers, 3.40@5.80; stockers and feeders, 3.50@4.35; cows and heifers, 2.00@4.90. Hogs—Receipts, 4600; 5c higher; pigs and lights, 5.10@5.25; packers, 5.20@5.40; butchers, 5.40@5.55. Sheep—Receipts, 2000; steady; natives, 4.00@4.35; lambs, 4.60@5.75.

KANSAS CITY—Cattle—Receipts, 11,000; steady to 10c lower; native steers, 4.00@5.70; Texas steers, 2.75@5.15; Texas cows, 2.65@3.50; native cows and heifers, 1.75@4.50; stockers and feeders, 3.25@4.60; bulls, 2.75@3.55. Hogs—Receipts, 11,000; closed weak; bulk of sales, 5.25@5.32½; heavy, 5.22½@5.35; packers, 5.22½@5.32½; mixed, 5.20@5.30; light, 5.12½@5.32½. Sheep—Receipts, 3000; market steady; lambs, 4.70@5.60; muttons, 3.00@4.25.

SOUTH OMAHA—Cattle—Receipts, 4700; steady to strong; native beef steers, 4.50@5.60; Western steers, 4.25@4.80; cows and heifers, 10@15c lower, 3.00@4.50; stockers and feeders, 3.50@4.65; calves, 3.00@4.50. Hogs—Receipts, 8500; higher; heavy, 5.15@5.25; mixed, 5.15@5.17½; light, 5.10@5.17½; pigs, 4.50@5.00; bulk of sales, 5.15@5.17½. Sheep—Receipts, 5300; steady to lower; sheep, 3.25@4.50; lambs, 4.50@5.50.

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## THE EDITORIAL VISIT.

**What Some of our Guests Think of Their Treatment Here.**

The following articles written by members of the editoral party that visited this city July 16 will give some idea of what they thought of their treatment here:

Delavan Leader: At Grand Rapids we were cordially received and royally entertained, given the freedom of the city, and driven to all the points of interest. Grand Rapids is the county seat of Wood county, is in the center of the state at the foot of the grand rapids which have a fall of 32 feet and are 900 feet wide, with 30,000 horse power in that vicinity. The business portions are on both banks of the Wisconsin river (west side formerly Centralia) 185 miles northwest of Milwaukee. It is a thoroughly wide awake and progressive city of 6,000 people with varied business interests.

Cambridge News: At Greater Grand Rapids we were met at the depot by carriages and conveyed over the river to two large halls where the party was banqueted and assigned quarters for the limited time to be spent in that city. Greater Grand Rapids is composed of the towns of Grand Rapids and Centralia, which by a vote last spring were united and now contains a population of about 5,000. Previous to their unitation a strife existed between the two places, situated on each side of the river, and about equally populated which acted as a barrier to their progress. This illfeeling we are glad to note has been obviated by their being united and the city seems entering upon a new era of prosperity. Nature has done so much for this place in the shape of water-power, when properly developed that we see no probable outcome but a thrifty growth and rapid utilization of that river which will furnish many thousands of horse power, now dormant awaiting its developement. There are today a number of successful manufacturing establishments, mainly in the line of hardwood. The city has a co-operative electric lighting plant which is unique and commends itself to thorough investigation by citizens contemplating such a plant in their town. Monthly dividends are declared and deducted from their lighting bills which brings the cost of those holding stock so ridiculously low that it is a marvel to anyone who pays the usual fee in a city charged for such lights. It is said to be the only plant run on this principle in the country. The day's program being spoiled by a drizzling rain and the afternoon given up to social indoor amusement the writer accepted an invitation with a dozen of the press boys and enjoyed the hospitality of the Crooked Rift Rod and Reel club at their club house seven miles up the river, a picturesque place on the old Wisconsin, where for three long miles the stream was straight as an arrow and unbroken by rocks and islands presenting quite a contrast to the river as seen from any other point. It would be putting it mildly to say that we did enjoy ourselves. it was the one bright spot in all our trip. The chowder was good and the "bait" excellent.

Juneau Telephone: At Grand Rapids we were met at the depot by a reception committee, and hundreds of carriages. An elegant dinner was served in two large halls and the bill of fare was on the broad-gauge order. After dinner we were assigned to private houses for entertainment, which was dealt out with no stingy hand. Our treatment could not be surpassed. Other visitors claimed to be equally well received, but we doubt it, although all fared well. It was here that Charley Pettibone made a pertinent inquiry. He and his better-half were assigned to the home of one of Grand Rapids' leading clergymen. Our ex-senator took his card, looked it over and asked whether the minister lived on donations or had a fixed salary. No one enjoyed the humor of the situation better than the good-natured clergy-man.

The afternoon was spent in riding about the city which is one of the busy, booming manufacturing points in the valley and a sure "comer." Wood county, of which Grand Rapids is the county seat, is one of the best agricultural counties in the state. A rainy afternoon prevented us from seeing much of it, but judging from the city, there must be something good back of it and all around it.

Our entertainment at Grand Rapids concluded with a ball and banquet in the evening, and after being safely delivered by our respective hosts at the depot Tuesday morning, we wave a reluctant farewell and were off.

Sauk County Democrat: It is known to nearly all persons that for years Grand Rapids and Centralia were two quite prosperous towns, being divided by the Wisconsin river. They flirted for some time, had spats, but finally concluded to kiss, make up and become one. They realized that in union there is strength, and several months ago the ceremony was performed which joined the two cities under the name of Grand Rapids. Upon our arrival there we were met by more rain, the local brass band, carriages and citizens. The town was decorated, and the excursionists were escorted to public halls, where dinner was served by ladies of the First Congregational and First M. E. churches. Various drives and visits to manufacturing plants had been planned, but rain interfered and so it was not possible for the citizens to show up their town to the best advantage. A game of base ball was played in a drizzling rain between the Grand Rapids and Manston nines, and the Rapids team came out ahead. Other sports were on the programme, which could not be given on account of the rain. The inclement weather was a great disappointment to all, but the members of the press gang bent on pleasure and sight seeing readily manage to stand by their guns, and so all braved the storm in the evening and attended the reception and ball given in the opera house, carriages being provided for all those who wished to ride. The decorations in the opera house were very attractive, the emblem to visitors being a pen in incandescent electric lights. To excellent music many citizens and their guests danced until the small hours of morning. Grand Rapids is the county seat of Wood county; it now has a population of between four and five thousand, and the citizens certainly are wide awake. They purpose making the best of their opportunities. Much of the soil in the county is rich and well adapted for farming. The splendid water power has done much to develop Grand Rapids, and among the leading manufacturing establishments are these: Oberbeck Bros., manufacturers of furniture, employing one hundred hands; F. Mac Kinnon Manufacturing Co., manufacturers of a new metal covered hub, employing seventy hands; Grand Rapids Lumber Co., employing one hundred men; Grand Rapids Foundry Co., having an average pay roll of $500 per month; Grand Rapids Pressed Brick Co., with a capacity of 3,000,000; Grand Rapids Table company; Jackson Milling company; several lumbering firms. The city has a co-operative telephone company and electric light plant. They have a fine public library, known as the T. B. Scott Free Public Library.

Whitewater Gazette: About the time the editors began to think of dinner on our first day out, we reached the city of Grand Rapids, the thriving county seat of Wood county. The east side of the city was formerly called Centralia, but now the whole has merged into one city of 6000 people and lies both sides of the river at the place where the fall in the river is most abrupt. The descent which causes the rapids is about 32 feet and is claimed to be good for 30,000 horse-power. Grand Rapids is a manufacturing town and produces large quantities of paper, furniture, pine and hardwood lumber and products. It is in the cranberry region and the berries and potatoes are among the principal exports. Before reaching the place we were told that on our arrival we were to be in the hands of our friends, the Wisconsin Valley association. Of course the association turned us over for the day to the Grand Rapids people. We saw at once that being entertained in one of the valley cities meant being royally received. In spite of the rain we were escorted to the reception rooms by a brass band and a large company of citizens. The dinner, which was to have been served on an island in the rapids, had to be served where there was a roof between us and the clouds above, which were still doing duty at the old stand. When the ladies of Grand Rapids began to bring in the edibles we were forcibly reminded that we were in a land of plenty. Just how many chickens and quarters of beef disappeared on that memorable occasion will probably never be known.

In the afternoon some of the party kept dry, others visited the factories and the remainder watched a good ball game.

In the evening the editorial party were introduced to their respective hosts and taken to supper. Our assignment was at the Witter House, the largest hotel of the place. We were assigned a room from the window of which we had a view of the entire rapids, a scene which we will not soon forget. The evening was spent in dancing by those fortunate to be able to engage in that amusement. Those of us with uneducated feet attended the reception and then watched the others until we realized how tired we were, and then to our lodgings. Thus closed the first day of our journey as guests of the Wisconsin Valley association, and the long-to-be-remembered day when we were guests of the citizens of Grand Rapids.

After an early breakfast we took the train for Junction City and then on Wisconsin Central to Waupaca to visit the famous Chain o' Lakes and the Wisconsin veterans' home.

### Almost a Blaze.

John Bell's barn had a narrow escape from fire on Tuesday. Some little boys of the neighborhood who had been trying to build a bon fire and had met with indifferent success, repaired to Mr. Bell's barn and started their fire in the middle of the floor. They got a merry blaze started and were sitting about enjoying their campfire when the state of affairs were discovered by a neighbos who extingnished the conflagration.

### Decided to Locate.

One of the Green Bros. of Stevens Point has been in town during the past week looking for a store and also a place in which to place a sale stable. He stated that it was the intention of the company to move to this city next month.

Wilbur Herschleb, who is a member of the 2d infantry, arrived home on Tuesday to spend a ten day furlough. He received a telegram on Thursday however, to rejoin his company as it was to leave for San Francisco on the 10th inst. He left for Cincinnati Thursday evening, and his company will be sent to China as soon as possible.

—The success of Dr. McElwee in curing cases of chronic sickness would be past relief were there not many within the Grand Rapids neighborhood who have been cured, several of whom had given up all hope of ever being well again. Perhaps no more striking case can be mentioned than that of Mr. M. Booth who for twelve years had been a confirmed invalid, finally unable even to do the chores about the house. His trouble was principally in his stomach although his heart was much affected. He was a constant sufferer, the least bit of food causing great pain. He was finally induced to consult Dr. McElwee, who after a thorough examination, said he could cure him. That he has done so, Mr. Booth is only too glad to testify. He has been working steadily all summer at his trade, masonry, an occupation that certainly would test a well man's strength. The joy of Mr. Booth over his unexpected recovery can be better imagined than described.

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## LEGAL NOTICES.

[First Publication 7-4-w3]

**Notice of Application.**

Wood County Court—In Probate.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, } ss.
COUNTY OF WOOD, }

In the matter of the last will and testament of Ferdinand Damitz, deceased.

WHEREAS, An instrument, in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Ferdinand Damitz, deceased, late of the town of Seneca, Wood County, Wisconsin, has been filed in this office;

AND WHEREAS, Application has been made by Amelia Damitz praying that the same be proven and admitted to probate, according to the laws of this state, and that letters testamentary be granted thereon according to law;

IT IS ORDERED, That said application be heard before me, at the probate office, in the city of Grand Rapids, said county, on the 4th day of September, A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That notice of the time and place appointed for hearing said application be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order for three weeks successively, in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a newspaper printed in said county, previous to said hearing.

Dated, August 4th, 1900.

By the Court. JOHN A. GAYNOR, County Judge.

[First Publication 7-14-w3]

**Notice of Application.**

Wood County Court—In Probate.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, } ss.
COUNTY OF WOOD, }

In the Matter of the Estate of Emma Clarisa Arpin, deceased.

On this 3rd day of July, A. D. 1900, upon reading and filing the petition of Daniel J. Arpin stating that Emma Clarisa Arpin of the county of Wood, died intestate, on or about the 30th day of June, 1900, and praying that Clarisa Arpin be appointed administrator of the estate of said deceased.

IT IS ORDERED, That said application be heard before me, at the probate office in Grand Rapids on the 4th day of September, A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That notice of the time and place appointed for hearing said application be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order for three weeks successively in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a newspaper printed in said county, previous to the time appointed for said hearing.

Bythe Court.

JOHN A. GAYNOR, County Judge.

[First Publication 7-14-w6]

**Foreclosure Sale.**

State of Wisconsin—Wood County—In Circuit Court.

Geo. L. Williams, Plaintiff,
vs.
Ladislaus E. Granger and Clara L. Granger his wife, et al August Bonaski and —— Bonaski his wife, Defendants.

By virtue of and pursuant to a judgment of foreclosure rendered and entered in the above entitled action in said court on the first day of July, A. D. 1900, I shall expose for sale and sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the front or north door of the court house in the city of Grand Rapids in said Wood County, on the 25th day of August, A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, all of the following described mortgaged premises, situated, lying and being in said Wood County, Wisconsin, to wit: The southwest quarter of the northwest quarter and the whole of the northwest quarter of section twenty-five (25) in township twenty-one (21) north of range six (6) east, together with all buildings and improvements thereon.

Dated, Grand Rapids, Wis., July 14 A. D. 1900

MICHAEL VINCENT,
Sheriff of Wood County, Wis.


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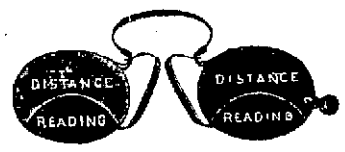


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# Grand Rapids Tribune

## LOCAL ITEMS.


Ray Love was a Stevens Point visitor on Sunday.

John Daly transacted business in Merrill on Wednesday.

Moses Parneau, of Plover, was in the city on Wednesday.

Miss Edith Lynn, of Nekoosa, was in the city on Thursday.

Editor Adam Paulus of Marshfield was in the city yesterday.

Albert Plath of Marshfield transacted business here on Friday.

C. Otto, of Vesper, transacted business in the city on Wednesday.

Wanted—Good girl for housework. Small family. W. L. LAIN.

Miss Anna Oberbeck visited with friends in Marshfield last week.

Mrs. K. W. Karner, of Stevens Point, was in the city yesterday.

Otto Backhaus of the Marshfield Brewing Co., was in the city today.

Guy Wood returned on Monday from his trip through Yellowstone Park.

W. G. Scott went to Sheridan on Tuesday to spend a few days' vacation.

Jasper Crotteau, of the Hotel Lyon, was a Merrill visitor on Sunday last.

District Attorney D. D. Conway transacted business in Merrill on Tuesday.

The Johnson & Hill Co. shipped about 7,000 pounds of wool this season.

Miss Josie Huber returned on Saturday from a two weeks' visit at Babcock.

Miss Helen Kromer entertains this evening in honor of Miss Maude Tibbits.

Mrs. James Dolan is reported to be seriously ill at her home on the west side.

Mrs. H. H. Voss left Thursday for a week's visit with her parents at Tomah.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Lampert, of Pittsville, were in town for a short time on Tuesday.

We acknowledge the receipt of a fine bouquet of gladiolus from the Riverdale farm.

Miss Mabel Podawiltz, of Grand Rapids, is visiting Miss Libbie Timian at Amherst.

Will Runge, of Minocqua, visited a couple of days in the city the fore part of the week.

Frank Ostrander, of Scofield visited over Sunday in this city at the home of R. Farrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Crotteau went to Merrill on Saturday to spend a week visiting.

The members of the Methodist Sunday school held a picnic on Friday at Port Edwards.

Will Henke left for Janesville on Monday to spend a week visiting among friends.

Rev. J. A. Baynton spent Wednesday in Stevens Point, the guest of Father Weller.

Mrs. O. Y. Voyer, of Junction City, visited with Mrs. Lefebvre for a few days this week.

Mrs. W. H. Cochran and Mrs. Beulah Biron visited in Chicago the fore part of the week.

Mrs. Frank Spease and daughter, of Plainfield, are visiting at the home of Robt. Dunavan.

The household of Dr. Ridgman was gladdened by the arrival of a girl baby on Thursday.

Mrs. W. D. Fairweather and daughter, of Wausau, are visiting at the home of O. E. Odell.

Editor Adolph Pankow, of the Marshfield Democrat was in the city Saturday on business.

John Schnabel, Jr., returned from Neenah last week after a two weeks' visit among friends.

Claus Johnson of Sigel attended the republican state convention at Milwaukee this week.

S. H. Smart and Roy Parish took advantage of the low rates and went to Chicago on Sunday.

Misses Annie and Maggie Granger went to Nekoosa on Thursday to visit with friends for a time.

The Misses Matilda Bunge and Carrie Miller visited in Pittsville a few days the past week.

Wm. Pflueger, of Manitowoc, arrived in the city Thursday to spend a few days visiting friends.

—Dr. McElwee, Witter House, Saturday, Aug. 18. The doctor makes no charge for examinations.

E. S. Huckins was over from Pittsville. He left for Milwaukee to attend the Republican convention.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kohl, of Marshfield, spent Monday in the city, guests at the home of Mrs. Hamm.

Walter Demeroe left for Chicago last week to accept a position as musician with a show company.

Mrs. M. Lemense and children returned Saturday from a two weeks visit with relatives in Thorp.

Mrs. W. A. Brazeau, of Port Edwards entertained yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Maud Tibbitts.

Miss Louie Mansur, of Stevens Point, has been the guest of Mr. and Geo. W. Paulus since Thursday.

Miss Grace Hoskinson has been spending the past week in Manitowoc, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Platt.

Omar Stout, of Clarksburg, W. V., has taken the place of John Vanderbei in the American express office.

Editor John White and John Adler were down from Marshfield on Monday to take in the shooting match.

—Give your orders early for tomatoes cucumbers, cullflower, cabbage and chow chow material. Telephone 181, Riverdale farm. 2w

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Looze left on Wednesday for Green Bay where they visited relatives for a short time.

The macadamizing on Cranberry street has been about completed and now presents a handsome appearance.

A gun club has been organized at Pittsville, so we may have some interesting contests from that quarter.

The ladies of the Lutheran church on the east side gave a social Thursday evening which was well attended.

Mrs. John Arpin and E. P. Arpin left on Wednesday for Chicago. Mrs. Arpin will visit in the east for a time.

Miss Frank Rogers, who has been visiting at the home of John Steib, left for her home in Neenah on Tuesday.

Dr. Conniff and Ray Love left on Thursday for a ten day fishing trip among the lakes of northern Wisconsin.

Miss Vinnie Podawiltz left Wednesday for a two weeks visit with her friend Miss Florence Bailey at Waupaca.

W. A. Keyes, who has been sick with a complication of disorders for some time past, is able to be about again.

The band was out Wednesday evening and gave a few concert selections on the street which were appreciated by all.

A. B. Sutor leaves for Camp Douglas to-night to join Company A, he being first lieutenant of that organization.

Miss Elide Marceau returned Tuesday from a month's visit with relatives and friends at Hillsboro and Tomah.

Albert Crawford went to Marshfield yesterday to join Company A, it being his intention to go into camp with the company.

The Philippine natives run pell-mell
At the sound of our Yankee yell,
But, oh what a gait they'll have, maybe
After taking Rocky Mountain Tea.
35c at Johnson & Hill Co.

Miss Georgia Griffith returned Tuesday fron Warrens after spending five weeks with her sister, Mrs. Thos. Henderson.

Miss Mabel Friend, of Milwaukee, who has been visiting with the family of F. W. Kruger, returned to her home on Tuesday.

Rev. A. H. Ameson, of Grand Rapids, was a visitor at the Baptist parsonage Monday and Tuesday.—Minocqua Times.

Beatrice Belanger and Ella Griffith, of Stevens Point, arrived in the city Wednesday and are guests at home of J. D. LeBreche.

The Misses Mamie Grey and Nellie Young, of Grand Rapids, are the guests of Mrs. B. B. Mathewson.—Pittsville Pilot.

Miss Effie Marshall, of New Lishon, visited a few days the fore part of the week the guest of her sister, Miss Isabelle Marshall.

Mrs. Herbert Kellogg and children returned Tuesday from Belvidere, Ill., where they have spent the past two months visiting.

The walks on the end of French street have been torn up and new ones are being laid. Some of the new walk will be of brick.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Will Miller and Geo. Brazeau departed for Plum Lake on Sunday for a ten days outing.

Frank Sinclair and Ed Lindsey, of Marshfield, wheeled down on Sunday and spent the day in this city, returning the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McDonald returned Tuesday morning from a two weeks' visit with friends in the southern part of the state.

Misses Georgia and Edna Ridgman returned today from Fond du Lac where they have spent the past four weeks visiting friends.

—Perfect womanhood depends on perfect health. Nature's rarest gift of physical beauty comes to all who use Rocky Mountain Tea, 35c at Johnson & Hill Co.'s drug store.

Geo. W. Brown of Pittsville has announced himself as a candidate for the nomination for county clerk before the republican convention.

Miss Katharine Mathers, of Merrill, is the guest of Miss Mabel McCamley, having arrived in the city last Saturday. She will remain until Monday.

J. Ruess and C. F. Wussow, of Vesper, have bills out for a grand harvest ball at the Modern Woodman hall at Vesper, Saturday evening, Aug. 18.

John Grignon, who has been in the employ of Photographer Tucker, left on Thursday for Viroqua where he has accepted a position in a gallery.

T. A. Taylor left on Friday for Marinette where he went to hear the renowned Prof. Hubbard speak before the Chautauqua convention on Friday.

Billy Fitzsimmons knocked out Gus Rublin last night in the sixth round in what was to have been a 25 round match. The battle took place in New York.

Peter LaBelle, of Marshfield, was in the city Saturday, having come down to take his wife home who had been visiting relatives in Saratoga for a time.

M. Cahill, of Vesper, transacted business here on Saturday. Mr. Cahill recently purchased some property here and may decide to locate here this fall.

The C. M. & St. Paul had very low rates to Chicago Saturday, the notice was not received soon enough to publish in the papers. Eighteen tickets were sold.

N. B. Cox, of Marinette, is the guest of Rev. J. A. Baynton, Mr. Cox being a half brother. On Monday they leave for Milwaukee and Templeton for a visit.

"A Woman in the Case" at the opera house last Saturday evening was not as well attended as it should of been, as it was a good production and well worth seeing.

Mrs. James DeMars died at Biron on Friday of last week aged 22 years. She leaves a husband and two children She was buried on Monday at Rudolph, her former home.

Chris. Kleviter, formerly bridge contractor on the Green Bay & Western road, was killed at New London on Tuesday by a pile driver falling on him. He leaves a wife and one child.

—Intestinal infection, appendicitis and all affections of the bowels, liver and kidneys prevented by taking genuine Rocky Mountain Tea, made by Madison Medicine Co. For sale at Johnson & Hill Co.

Private advices received from Mrs. John Bell, who was called to Watertown by the illness of her sister, state that the latter died on Saturday last. Mrs. Bell is still in Watertown.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Johnson, of Plainfield and Mrs. Emmet Gear, of Hancock, returned to their home this morning, after a week's visit with Mrs. K. E. McFarland and other relatives.

Samuel Denne, of Stratford, and Miss Nellie Cark, of Marshfield, were married in this city Tuesday by Justice Crotteau. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John E. Burt, of Marshfield.

Chas. Demitz came home on Monday and will spend a time visiting his relatives in this city. He was accompanied by his friend John Stone, of Appleton, who will also spend his vacation here.

Emile Lambert left on Friday for Marshfield where he joided the Second Regiment band and went to Camp Douglas with that organization Saturday morning. He will play trombone with the boys.

The soothing and healing properties of Chamberlain's cough remedy, its pleasant taste and prompt and permanent cures, have made it a great favorite with the people everywhere. For sale by Johnson & Hill Co.

Chas. Podawiltz has officially announced himself as a candidate for the office of clerk of the circuit court at the republican convention. Henry Forbes of Port Edwards is also out for the nomination.

Cecelia, the six months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Rickman, died on Thursday from cholera infantum, superinduced by the excessive heat. The funeral was held yesterday from the Lutheran church.

The dance on Thursday evening by the band boys was not very largely attended owinig to the excessive heat. However the band boys realized fairly well out of the affair as many bought tickets who did not attend.

Among the visiting attorneys in attendance at the special term of court this week were B. E. Brown, of Waupaca, Geo. Hoxie, of Clintonville, W. T. Olin, Fred Carpenter and C. D. McFarland, of Stevens Point.

Mrs. Isaac P. Witter and Miss Maud Tibbits were guests of honor at an informal tea party given by Miss Carrie Briere on Thursday afternoon from 3 to 6. Only ladies present. A delightful afternoon was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Weiland, and children from Appleton, arrived in the city Saturday to visit relatives here. Mr. Weiland left for home on Tuesday but Mrs. Weiland remained to extend her visit a week longer.

Henry Brahmsted, who resides at Four Mile creek, cut his foot in a serious manner with an ax on Saturday, the blade entering near the instep and severing an artery. Dr. Sweetman fixed up the injured man.

Attorney Cochran returned from Milwaukee on Wednesday without staying to see the convention out. The heat was so oppressive in the Cream city that Mr. Cochran thought the best place for him was at home.

Briere & Pomainville last week disposed of a one-fourth interest in their cranberry marsh near City Point to Peter Jepson, who lives near there and will have charge of the marsh. The owners expect a large crop this year.

The Stevens Point Fair association, organized from new blood and young men of push, is going to give a fair and race meeting, Aug. 28th to 31st, and the program will be the best in all respects ever witnessed in Central Wisconsin.

The stock of stores owned by F. H. Norton and sold on chattel mortgage last week was bid in by Geo. Corriveau and the stock is being sold out where it stands. Mr. Norton has opened another place of business across the street.

D. D. Compton, who delivers for the Riverdale farm, brought us in a sweet potato last week that was about eight inches long and a beauty for this part of the country at this time. Mr. Compton says they have quite a patch planted and the indications are that there will be a good crop.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Kuntz, of Nebraska, who have been visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity for a week past, returned home Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Kuntz formerly resided in this section, but left here twenty years ago and have since resided in Nebraska.


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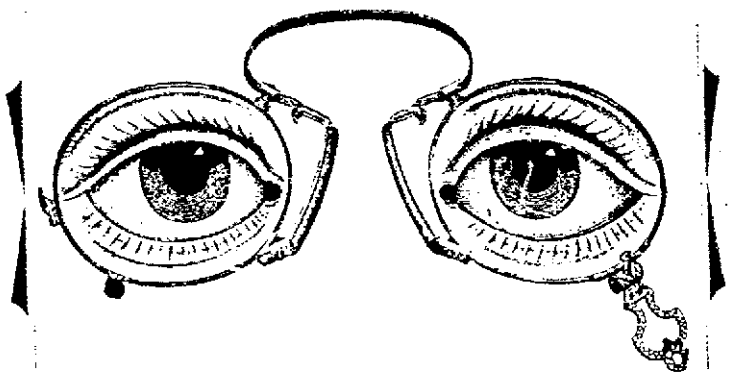

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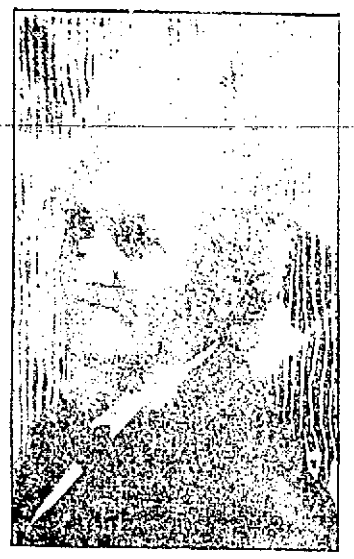
# ALONZO KIMBALL IS DEAD.

## An Old Resident of Green Bay Passes Away.

## CAME WEST IN 1847.

**Was in Business in Milwaukee in the Early Days Before He Went North.**

Green Bay, Aug. 8.—[Special.]—Alonzo Kimball, one of the oldest residents of Green Bay, died last evening at 7 o'clock, in the ninety-second year of his life. Mr. Kimball was born at Le Roy, Jefferson county, New York, November 5, 1808, the fifth of a family of twelve children, four of whom lived to celebrate their golden wedding. His golden wedding occurred in Green Bay ten years ago, shortly after which his wife died in her eightieth year. His youth was spent on a farm. Ambitious for an education, he worked his way through Union college, from which he was graduated in 1836, being at the time of his death the oldest living graduate of that



THE LATE ALONZO KIMBALL.

institution. He subsequently entered Andover Theological seminary, intending to follow the profession of his father, as a clergyman, but abandoned it on account of delicate health. He subsequently took up teaching and became principal of the Lee academy at Lee, Mass. In 1840 he married Sarah Weston of Dalton, Mass. Six children were born to them, five of whom survive: Mrs. M. H. Walker and C. T. Kimball of Green Bay, A. W. Kimball of Chicago, M. D. Kimball of Milwaukee and Mrs. W. H. Hobbs of Madison. He came West in 1847, by the steamer Jim Woods, from Buffalo to Milwaukee, and with his brother-in-law, Dr. Josiah Weston, established a general merchandise store on East Water street. Two years later he moved to Green Bay, where after a few years of teaching in the public school he engaged in the hardware trade. The business then established still bears his name, being the oldest in that line in northern Wisconsin, if not in the state. He was mayor of Green Bay for several terms and for many years president of the board of education. In 1871, when Peshtigo and other North Wisconsin villages were wiped out by forest fires, he was made treasurer of the relief committee and in that capacity had charge of the distribution of over a quarter of a million of dollars, which had been contributed from all parts of the world. It is worthy of mention that on a careful auditing of his accounts it was found that he had paid out to the sufferers of that awful calamity more money than he had received. For over forty years he was an elder in the First Presbyterian church of Green Bay, resigning the position a few years since on account of failing health. In politics he was a Republican. As one of the original abolitionists he at one time assisted Rev. Jeremiah Porter in helping a family of runaway slaves on their way to Canada. The manner in which these fugitives were concealed in the belfry of the old church and there supplied with food until the arrival of the Buffalo boat is a matter of history. The name of Alonzo Kimball for half a century in this community has been a synonym for personal and business probity and for right living. Probably no merchant who ever did business in this section had so many friends, and it is very sure that no man can say he ever received wrong at Mr. Kimball's hands.

## TAKEN TO WAUPUN.

**Wausau Officers Take No Chances with Walter Kinney.**

Fond du Lac, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special.]—Walter J. Kinney, alias "Walter Stewart," who escaped from Sheriff Malone of Wausau and Bob Johnson at Eland Junction a year ago while being taken to Waupun, and who was captured in Minneapolis Monday, was taken to Waupun today by Sheriff T. R. Malone and Deputy Sheriff John M. Malone of Marathon county. Kinney was sentenced for a year for larceny of a bicycle. At Eland Junction at that time he broke away from the sheriff and jumped in front of a fast moving freight, clearing it and escaping into a swamp. He evaded capture until three weeks ago, when he was arrested in Duluth. He made his escape from his captor there and Monday was caught in Minneapolis where he had gained prominence as a singer in one of the church choirs. He possesses a fine tenor voice. The officers were taking no chances with their prisoner this morning. They had to lay over here awaiting connections, and had their man handcuffed and with a pair of steel "governors" on his feet that regulated his step down to an eight-inch basis. Kinney says he is more contented than he has been for a year, and that he hasn't passed a happy day since his escape from Malone and Johnson a year ago.

## YOUNG RUSSIAN DROWNED.

**Meets Death While Bathing in River at Sheboygan.**

Sheboygan, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special.]—Peter Norwinski, aged 20 years, was drowned while bathing in the river at the foot of New York avenue, near the Sattler icehouse, last evening. He was a Russian and had not been in this country long. A wife and child survive him, their home being in Russia.

**Funeral of Wynn Edwards.**

Fond du Lac, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special.]—The funeral of Wynn Edwards, whose sudden death occurred at Oshkosh yesterday morning, will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the family home in Rosendale and will be followed by services in the Rosendale M. E. church. The Fond du Lac G. A. R. post No. 130, of which he was a member, and the county board, on which he had served for ten years, will attend in a body.

# FOUR MEN ATTACK STATION AGENT.

**Thomas Burns of Western Union Junction Shoots One of His Assailants.**

Racine, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special.]—Thomas Burns, baggage agent at Western Union Junction, was attacked by four men late last night and badly injured. He was struck over the head by one of the men with a piece of iron and a bad wound was inflicted over the eye. It is feared that Mr. Burns will lose the use of his eye. Two of his assailants were arrested and are in jail here. One of the men was shot in the leg by Burns and is in quite a serious condition.

Four men were stealing a ride on a passenger train which pulled into the junction. The conductor, with the agent's help, put the men off the train. The passenger then pulled out of the station. The men returned and attacked Mr. Burns. One of the men had an iron bar in his hand and struck Burns over the head, inflicting an ugly wound. Burns then fired and shot one of the men. Help arrived and two of the men were arrested and brought to this city.

## ARMY OF WORMS DESTROY LAWNS.

**Grass at Green Bay Ruined by a Peculiar Pest Which Cannot be Combatted.**

Green Bay, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special.]—Many of Green Bay's most beautiful lawns have been ruined within the last few days by armies of worms which cannot be repulsed by any means known to local gardeners. This is a return of a pest that ruined many lawns in various parts of the city last year. The worm is of a species that has not been identified here. Its length varies from one-half inch to three-fourths of an inch. It burrows through the turf, close to the surface, wherever ants are to be found. There seem to be thousands of the worms on the interested lawns and as they move through the lawns they leave a trail of rusty colored, lifeless grass.

## MINISTER ARRESTED.

**Pastor is Charged with Affectionately Kissing Another Man's Wife.**

Sheboygan, Wis., Aug. 8.—There was a great deal of trouble here yesterday and as a result Rev. John F. Van Vlasselaer, who recently resigned as pastor of the Christian Science church here, is under arrest on a charge of using abusive language. The complaint was made by Carl Manthe.

Mr. Manthe alleges that on returning very suddenly to his home he found Rev. Mr. Van Vlasselaer affectionately kissing his wife. Mr. Van Vlasselaer denies this and says he was at the house because Mrs. Manthe had sent for him, she explaining that she had sent for the reverend gentleman because her husband had threatened her.

Mrs. Manthe began divorce proceedings against her husband Monday and she began removing the household furniture yesterday, which the husband objected to her doing, and the disturbance was the result. Manthe had Dr. Van Vlasselaer arrested, who, in turn, had Manthe arrested on the same charge of abusive language.

## WITHOUT A SAILOR.

**The Empty Yacht Had Canvas Spread and was Under Full Speed.**

Marinette, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special.]—The captain of the steamer Atlanta reports a startling discovery fifteen miles off Cedar river. At that point a small sailboat, with a green-painted hull was sighted and there was apparently no one in it. The Atlanta hove to, and steamed up alongside the silent craft and to their surprise found it empty, with sails set and silently speeding on its way out into the lake. The interior of the boat gave evidence that someone had been in it when it left its moorings, and the general supposition of the captain of the Atlanta was that whoever had started from shore in that little craft had fallen out and was drowned. The boat is described as a one-masted, flat bottom, and about 15 feet long. There was quite a strong wind and the boat was about one-third filled with water, from the splashing waves. It is quite likely that some person or persons from Cedar River have found a watery grave.

## MAYOR IS NOT POLICE CHIEF.

**He Cannot Appoint Men on the Force —Appleton Row Settled.**

Appleton, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special.]—At a special meeting of the board of fire and police commissioners, the muddle growing out of the contest between Mayor Hammel and Chief of Police Hoefer as to the right to appoint policemen, was settled by the claims of the mayor being denied. Mayor Hammel claimed to be ex-officio chief of police, and acting on this claim appointed P. J. Vaughn to fill a vacancy in the force. His action was ignored by the board. Chief of Police Hoefer appointed E. H. Fox, who has since been on duty, but the council refused to allow his claim for pay. The matter was argued before the board of commissioners, both sides being represented by counsel, and the board by a vote of 3 to 1 adopted a resolution declaring the chief of police to have the sole power of appointment. The mayor accepts their decision and the case will not be carried into the courts.

## HE WAS AWAITING DEATH.

**Man Lost Near Wausau Found in Exhausted Condition.**

Wausau, Wis., Aug. 8. August Maibach, who had been lost in the woods between Rib mountain and Mosinee hill since Sunday, was found by a farmer named Braun. He was lying beside a log in a swamp, having almost given up hope of rescue. He had wandered through the woods slashing and swamps until exhausted, and is in a very weak condition, but will soon be all right again.

## NOSE BLEED CAUSES DEATH.

**Emil Kawalle of Manitowoc Dies of Loss of Blood.**

Manitowoc, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special.]—Emil Kawalle, aged 24, died this morning at the hospital from loss of blood, caused by a flaw from the nasal passage. Kawalle served through the Spanish-American war as a member of Co. H, Second regiment, and went to Porto Rico with that regiment. He was a member of the Spanish-American veterans and also of the Modern Woodmen.

**To Enlarge Amerika.**

Madison, Wis., Aug. 8. Prof. Rasmus B. Anderson announces that he has purchased the Red River Tidende, a Norwegian paper published at St. Paul and consolidated it with Amerika. Prof. Anderson now has the most influential Norwegian paper in the Northwest.

# WYNN EDWARDS IS DEAD

## Fond du Lac Man Dies of Heart Failure at Oshkosh.

## HIS DEATH WAS SUDDEN

**Nine Months Ago His Wife was Fatally Burned and He Never Recovered from Shock.**

Fond du Lac, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—Word was received here from Oshkosh this morning telling of the death of Wynn Edwards of Rosendale, this county. He died early this morning at the Tremont house. He left here Saturday to go to Oshkosh to consult some physicians there as to his health. He was taken suddenly ill at 3 o'clock this morning and died before physicians arrived. Heart disease was the cause of death.

Mr. Edwards has been in bad health for over a year. He had consumption and one lung was entirely gone while the other was affected. About nine months ago his wife was burned to death in a gasoline explosion. He never recovered from the shock and has been daily growing weaker and more miserable. At the time of his death he was worn down so that he weighed less than 100 pounds.

On Saturday Mr. Edwards went to Oshkosh, intending to remain there for several days. Yesterday he drove out in the country to see some friends. He stayed to supper and returned to the hotel in the evening. Shortly after 2 o'clock a ring from his room brought a bell boy there. Mr. Edwards told the boy to get water and call a physician. Before the boy returned Mr. Edwards had died.

The physicians stated that death was caused by heart failure. They found two bottles of narcotics in his room and they stated that he had taken some during the night, although they do not think that that had anything to do with his death.

Mr. Edwards' daughter, Miss Emily Edwards of Rosendale, received a letter yesterday from her father telling her that he intended taking a lake trip from Duluth to Buffalo, hoping it would benefit his health. He asked his daughter to go to Oshkosh. She was on her way to the train when she received word of Mr. Edwards' death.

Miss Edwards went on to Oshkosh and took charge of her father's remains. The body will be taken to Rosendale for burial.

Mr. Edwards was 58 years of age. He had been in the Legislature several terms and had been a member of the county board for years.

Three children survive. They are Miss Emily, John and Arthur. All resided at Rosendale.

Mr. Edwards was a member of the local post of the G. A. R. and served during the Civil war in Co. F, Twenty-first Wisconsin volunteers.

## HAS CLOSE SHAVE.

**Madison Soldier at Camp Douglas Cuts Wrist and Nearly Bleeds to Death.**

Camp Douglas, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—The companies from Milwaukee, except Co. D, shot on the ranges this afternoon. The troop had a mounted revolver practice. It will take its practice march Thursday.

Private "Tug" Wilson of Madison narrowly escaped death from a hemorrhage last night from a wound in his wrist, caused by a broken glass. The cut severed the arteries, and the man was very weak when found and taken to the hospital about midnight. His wounds were dressed by Surgeon Whiting.

There have been no cases of prostration in camp, and no accidents except two or three minor ones. The general health of the camp is excellent.

## RIORDAN WILL RETURN.

**Famous Football Guard to Play on the Wisconsin University Team.**

Madison, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—Jerry Riordan, the famous guard and captain in the Wisconsin "97" football team, will be back on the eleven next year. He will re-enter the university to take post-graduate work in history. As he has played football but three years on the team he is eligible for one more year under the rules. For the past two years Mr. Riordan has been principal of the high school at Baraboo.

## PROF. EMERSON'S FUNERAL.

**Services Held in the College Chapel at Beloit.**

Beloit, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—The funeral of Prof. Joseph Emerson was held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the college chapel. Friends viewed the body from 2 to 2:30 o'clock. The services were in charge of Dr. George R. Leavitt. Among the speakers were Dr. Joseph Collie of Delavan, a member of the first class to graduate from Beloit college in 1853. It is now planned by the college people here to have memorial services after college opens.

## MILWAUKEEAN DISAPPEARS.

**Commercial Traveler Applies to Neenah Police for Protection.**

Neenah, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—E. T. Frank, a commercial traveler representing the I. J. Robinson company of Milwaukee, applied to the local police Sunday for protection against people whom he thought were trying to kill him. It was found that he was suffering from a mental disease brought on, probably, by hard work. Friends in Milwaukee were notified and he was kept at a local hotel awaiting their arrival. This morning he mysteriously disappeared and no trace of him can be found. It is feared he has committed suicide by jumping into the river.

## MELLEN WINS FIRST PRIZE.

**Northern Wisconsin Band Contest Held at Butternut.**

Butternut, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—The northern Wisconsin band contest held here drew a crowd of 5000 people. Bands from Medford, Mellen, Prentice, Phillips and Park Falls entered the contest. Prizes were awarded as follows: Mellen, first; Prentice, second; Phillips, third.

**Policeman Sues the City.**

Racine, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—Ex-Policeman John Goetz, who was dismissed by the police and fire commissioners has brought suit against the city for $30 which he claims due him for his salary last month. He alleges that the board dismissed him without reason and without having charges preferred against him.

**Injured Farmer Dies.**

Green Bay, Wis., Aug. 7.—Frank Jenkins, the Robinsonville farmer who was thrown from his buggy while driving Saturday evening, died at the General hospital from concussion of the brain.

## CLAIMS TO BE 120 YEARS OF AGE.

**Mrs. Joseph Beausat of Fond du Lac Alleges She was Born in Canada in 1780.**

Fond du Lac, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—Fond du Lac may lay successful claim to having as one of its citizens the oldest person in Wisconsin, if not in the United States. Mrs. Josephine Beausa, according to the records, which are vouched for as being correct, is 120 years old. She was born in Canada in 1780, and for the last sixteen years has made her home here. She is slight of build, but possesses a remarkable vitality.

## FIXES TERMINAL AT JANESVILLE.

**Southeastern Railroad will Erect Several Buildings There—A $25,000 Passenger Station.**

Janesville, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—Officials of the Milwaukee road announce that Janesville will be the terminal of the Janesville & Southeastern railroad. Many new buildings will be erected, including a $25,000 passenger station.

## LINCK IS ARRESTED.

**The Racine Alderman's Mother Alleges that Her Son is Insane.**

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 7. Ald. J. Linck and Mrs. Lena Wyman of Racine, Wis., who disappeared from their homes about thirty days ago, were arrested here yesterday, living, it is said, as man and wife. The arrest was made at the instance of Linck's mother, who declares her son is insane, and will have a medical examination. Linck disappeared on July 6, and about the same time Mrs. Wyman was found to be missing from her home. The two disappearances were not believed to be connected in any way. The presence of the couple in this city was discovered through an indiscreet letter written by Mrs. Wyman to a friend in Racine, who showed it to Linck's mother. In the meantime Linck's family was under the impression that he had wandered away in a fit of mental aberration and the police of different cities were supplied with his description and photographs. Mrs. Wyman left her husband and one son, aged 10 years, in Racine. Linck is a member of the city council at Racine and said to be a prominent Mason and Odd Fellow. When his mother pleaded with Linck to return home he refused, and as a last resort she called the officers and had the couple placed under arrest. They are both in jail. Linck is a single man, 26 years of age, and Mrs. Wyman is ten years his senior.

## TWO BOYS DROWNED.

**While They Are Bathing in Lake Winnebago at Oshkosh They Disappear.**

Oshkosh, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—Two boys named Klabunde, aged 7 and 11 years, have disappeared and it is thought that they have been drowned. They were last seen bathing in Lake Winnebago at noon today. This afternoon their clothes were found on the beach but no trace of the boys can be found. The police are dragging the lake for the bodies.

## TELLS OF A MURDER.

**Indian Said to Have Been Killed on the Keshena Reservation.**

Marinette, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—An Indian who arrived here today from Shawano brought the news of a murder on the Keshena reservation. An Indian by the name of George Dixon, in a drunken row, struck another Indian over the head, inflicting injuries from which the latter died in a short time. No arrests have been made as far as known. The alleged murderer has a number of relatives residing here.

## HEAT CAUSES APOPLEXY

**Fred Webb, an Old Resident of Chippewa Falls, Dies—Others Critically Ill.**

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—Fred Webb, an old citizen, proprietor of the local hack line, died today from a stroke of apoplexy which he suffered Saturday. Three other cases of apoplexy have occurred here during the last two days, caused by the intense heat. John Nolan, B. E. Reid and Daniel Beauchene were stricken, but it is thought they will recover.

## RACINE FIRM FAILS.

**Fashionable Millinery House is Forced to the Wall.**

Racine, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—The Elite Millinery house, one of the large establishments in the city, owned by Mrs. B. Cohen, today displayed a notice in its window announcing that the firm had filed a petition in bankruptcy. Some days ago there was a rumor in the city that the firm was in financial difficulties. A meeting of its creditors was held and an effort was made to settle on a basis of 20 cents on the dollar, which was refused. The amount of the liabilities and assets are not known here. The creditors are for the most part Milwaukee and Chicago firms.

## BOYS CONFESS TO CRIME.

**Columbus Lads Rob Store of $150 in Cash.**

Columbus, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—The money drawer of Fuller Bros.' store has been robbed at various times of an aggregate of about $150. Joe Culver, 11 years old, was detected when entering a back door, and on arrest confessed to having taken the money. Charles Wolz, aged 17, also confesses having received and used a portion of the money. Both boys are under arrest and had an examination this morning.

## MILWAUKEE MAN DROWNS.

**Jack Hagerty Loses His Life Near Holmes Landing.**

Marinette, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—Jack Hagerty, a Milwaukee man, was drowned on the Main river drive yesterday near Holmes landing. He was walking on the logs with two companions when he slipped and fell in. His companions waited for him to show up to extend assistance, but he never came up. His body was recovered soon after.

## DR. FLAGG RECOVERING.

**His Physician States that He will Recover.**

Foxboro, Mass., Aug. 7.—President Rufus C. Flagg of Ripon college is gradually improving, and his condition warrants his physician in stating that he believes his recovery is assured.

# BIG FIRE IN ASHLAND.

## Four Lives Lost and $1,000,000 Worth of Lumber Burned.

## BUILDINGS BLOWN UP.

**Dynamite Used to Stop Advance of Flames—Great Docks Destroyed.**

Ashland, Wis., Aug. 6.—Fire in the Barker & Stewart lumber yards destroyed 50,000,000 feet of white pine lumber, three docks and two warehouses, involving an aggregate loss of $1,500,000. Of this about $600,000 was on lumber, which is fully covered by insurance. The rest of the loss is on docks and tramways and is only partially covered by insurance.

A strong wind swept the flames in the direction of the city and it was only by the lavish use of dynamite that the two large lumber mills and perhaps the whole town was saved from destruction.

Of the lumber destroyed 2,000,000 feet belonged to W. H. Gilbert, and nearly all the remainder on both docks was the property of the Edward Hines Lumber company of Chicago.

It is believed that no workmen were killed though several had narrow escapes.

Appleton, Wis., Aug. 6. Fire last night at the plant of the Riverside Fiber company destroyed the main chip bin and necessitated a forty-minutes' shutdown of the dynamos operating the interurban cars. Several cars crowded with passengers were disabled during the interval at points between here and Neenah. H. D. Smith, president of the Riverside Fiber company, said their loss would not exceed $2000, and that the plant would not be incapacitated by the damage to the building.

Iron River, Wis., Aug. 6.—The Iron River Water, Light and Power company's plant at this place was totally destroyed by fire.

## GEN. BRAGG'S ORDERS.

**Arrangement for the Reunion of the Iron Brigade at Chicago.**

Fond du Lac, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—Gen. Edward S. Bragg, president of the Iron Brigade association, sent out today his final orders for the reunion of the brigade in Chicago the latter part of the month. The letter, characteristic of the general, sent to the members today gives a synopsis of the programme and a partial list of the notable guests that will attend the reunion and the banquet in the Chicago Athletic association's hall, Aug. 27. The attendance of every member is urged by the little general, who speaks of the coming meeting as one that "will be the best and perhaps, for many of us, the last meeting." His letter is headed by the command, "Fall in, men, fall in! Fall in, close up!" In full it is as follows:

The Iron Brigade association have their annual reunion in Chicago on the 27th day of August, before the general exercises of the Grand Army encampment are opened.

The place of business meeting and reunion for shaking hands, hobnobbing and interchange of old memories and reminiscences will begin at 2 o'clock p. m. sharp, Monday, August 27, in the magnificent Grand Army Memorial hall in the Public Library building, corner of Michigan avenue and Randolph street, especially allowed as a favor to us for that purpose.

After the opening of the meeting by the president of the association and the election of officers, the afternoon will be made entertaining by both vocal and instrumental music and short talks, not to exceed five minutes in length, from noted veterans of the old brigade and from others who may be present.

Sergt. Gibbons and Corp. Curtis will speak for the Twenty-fourth Michigan; Col. Dudley and Capt. Copeland will tell us about the Nineteenth Indiana, and old Gen. Meredith—by jinks!—Wisconsin will be heard from the Second, Sixth and Seventh, as you all know when you remember that Gil. Woodward and two adopted sons of the brigade, who will represent our honored comrade, Col. Downs of the Sixth, will be present. And, of course, the Grand Army men in Wisconsin all know Phil Cheek will be there. Col. Richardson and Capt. Pond and a number of others whom you all know, will tell you what they know about huckleberries.

Don't any of you forget the place or forget to come. It will be the best meeting we have ever had, and perhaps, for many of us, the last meeting.

But the attractions given you in the above list don't compare with what you will all want to see and hear by attendance at a banquet to be served at the hall of the Chicago Athletic association, 125 Michigan avenue, at 6:30 sharp in the evening. President McKinley will be there, Commander-in-Chief Shaw of the Grand Army will be there; Gov. Scofield of Wisconsin will be there; Charles G. Dawes will be there; Senator Burrows of Michigan will be there; Gov. Mount of Indiana will be there; Gen. Joe Wheeler will be there; Adjt.-Gen. Corbin is invited and will be there. Oh, the list is too long to print! We will all be there!

Gov. Scofield and J. G. Flanders of Milwaukee, together with some of our home talent, will represent Wisconsin.

It will be a swell affair and a rare chance to see most of the big bugs of the country.

No swallow-tail coat will be permitted to be worn by any member of the Iron Brigade. Don't dress up in fancy colors, but come in your plain, everyday clean clothes, like when your wives ill you up to go to campmeeting.

The price of banquet tickets to the members of the brigade will be adjusted at so low a figure that all of you who were worthy members of the Brigade can manage to be there.

But the list of attractions is not yet closed; open house will be kept during the entire week at Iron Brigade headquarters, 84 State Street, opposite Marshall, Field & Co., where all will be made welcome and refreshed.

Don't any fall out by the way; you remember the rule against straggling and be ready to fall into line promptly and do your duty in a way worthy of the brigade of which you are members.

By order of EDW. S. BRAGG,
President of the Association, General Commanding.
George C. Smith, Secretary.
Dated August 1, 1900.

## RUN DOWN BY A TRAIN.

**Barney Halverson of Waupaca Killed While Riding Railway Velocipede.**

Amherst, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—Barney Halverson was run over and instantly killed by a work train of the Wisconsin Central Railroad company about 1 o'clock Sunday morning. The deceased had been working for the Central on their track improvements at Amherst. Saturday night he started on a railroad velocipede to return to his home at Waupaca. About five miles south of here he was struck by a gravel train, which was returning here for its load. The fact that the train was backing up and therefore showed only a red light probably accounts for the accident. The deceased leaves a wife and two children.

## BADGER TEACHER ENGAGED.

**G. A. Talbert of Beaver Dam Gets Place in Indiana School.**

La Porte, Ind., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—Prof. G. A. Talbert of Beaver Dam, Wis., now in this city, has accepted the chair of science in the public schools at Peru, this state. Prof. Talbert is the Wisconsin educator who went to Europe and made scientific discoveries of interest to the medical profession. He will begin his work in September.

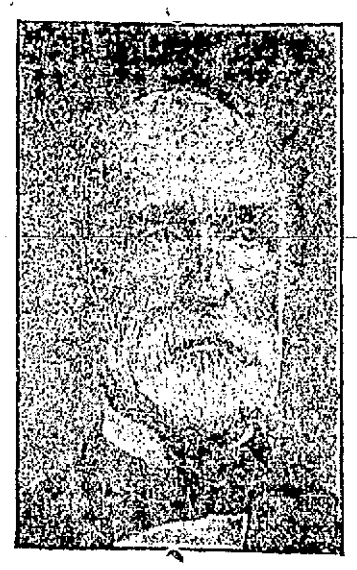
# THE FUNERAL OF PROF. EMERSON.

**Veteran Scholar of Beloit will be Laid to Rest on Tuesday.**

Beloit, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—The funeral of Prof. Joseph Emerson of Beloit college will be held at 2:30 o'clock from the college chapel Tuesday afternoon in charge of Dr. George R. Leavitt of the First Congregational church. The remains will be viewed in the chapel before the service. There will be several brief addresses. Nearly all of the college faculty are absent from the city and few will be able to reach home in time for the funeral.

Prof. Joseph Emerson died last Saturday afternoon. Early in the day it was thought he would live for a few days more but at 2 o'clock his condition took a sudden turn for the worst.

Prof. Emerson was born in Norfolk, Conn., May 28, 1821. His parents, Rev. Ralph Emerson and Eliza Rockwell Emerson, could each trace a descent from the most stalwart of New England's families. His early school and college honors were always highly prized as loyal offerings to a father's gratification. Prof. Emerson's course of preparatory study was completed at Phillips academy, Andover, Conn. He was graduated from Yale in 1841 and among his classmates were such distinguished men as Judge Learned, Rev. Dr. W. T. Eustis, Judge Birdseye and Donald G. Mitchel. He entered Andover seminary and pursued his theological studies for two years, then he taught at Yale for four years. In 1848, after two days of wet journeying from Milwaukee, he arrived at Beloit on May 24, and became an associate of Prof. J. J. Bushnell and S. T. Merrill in training the youths of the pioneer school.



THE LATE PROF. EMERSON.

In 1869 Prof. Emerson went abroad and lived a year or more in travel and study in Europe and in 1887 and 1888 he was also in Europe, Egypt and Palestine. With the exception of these absences he has been a constant part of Beloit college life and to the last, while relieved of regular duties, he was a power in the affairs of the institution, and in the community and citizens of Beloit and from all parts of the country were glad to draw together to pay the honor to the sage and teacher.

## SLASHED WITH KNIFE.

**Stabbing Affair Near Ashton, Dane County, May Develop Into a Murder.**

Madison, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—A stabbing affray, which may develop into a murder, occurred Sunday afternoon near Ashton, this county. John Ziegler, a farmer's boy, aged 19, was badly cut in the abdomen and under the left arm by Charles Reichenstein, a farmhand, and it is very doubtful whether he can live. Reichenstein is under arrest, and was arraigned in court this morning on the charge of assault with intent to kill, but was not allowed to plead, the court desiring to wait until it is known whether Ziegler will live. Bail was fixed at $5000.

The trouble occurred at the saloon of Joe Ester. A party of young farmers was congregated there, some of them had been making fun of Reichenstein about his attentions to a certain widow, and being possessed of a violent temper, it is alleged, it put him in an ugly mood. It is reported that Reichenstein pulled out an ugly-looking pocket-knife, rushed at young Ziegler and began slashing him. It is said that Ziegler was not one of those who had been joking Reichenstein and that the attack on him was unprovoked, but Reichenstein, being in a sort of blind fury, simply took those nearest him. Reichenstein went to the farm of Will Dorn, where he was working, took a horse and rode to Waunakee. From there he telephoned back to learn whether Ziegler was dead, and it was through this that Sheriff Kanouse got track of him and effected his arrest.

## DIVES TO HIS DEATH.

**Walter Polzien of Manitowoc is Drowned While Swimming—Dies in a Cistern.**

Manitowoc, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—Walter Polzien, 22 years of age, was drowned last evening while swimming in the river here. He was with Fred Thurston and both were diving. Polzien dived three times. The third time he did not come to the surface. Thurston became frightened and ran to get Polzien's father. When they returned no trace of Polzien could be found. Late last night the body was recovered. A verdict of accidental drowning was returned by the coroner's jury.

Sheboygan, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—The 16-year-old son of E. Borger, proprietor of the Commercial house at Sheboygan Falls, fell into a cistern Saturday evening and was drowned. The boy was missed, and after two hours of hunting his body was found in the cistern. A coroner's inquest was held over the body this morning.

## DEATH COMES AT LAST.

**Man Injured by Falling Tree Dies in Terrible Agony.**

Baraboo, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—Martin Fardgen of Sandusky was chopping in the timber, when a tree fell upon him, breaking one of his legs in two places. He lingered several days before death relieved his sufferings. He was unmarried.

Sun Prairie, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—Ameil L. Sweet died at his home in the township, aged 78 years. Mr. Sweet came to Wisconsin from Canada in 1840, taking up the land while the state was yet a territory on which he has since lived. He leaves three children.

Marshfield, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—E. G. McLees, county poor commissioner, died this afternoon from the effects of a kick by a horse yesterday.

Spring Valley, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—Peter Cameron, bookkeeper with the Speke Stove & Heading company, died very suddenly this morning.

## RUSSIAN DISLIKE OF TUNNELS.

**Remarkable Statement by an American Railway Inspector.**

There are, naturally, a number of sweeping curves through the Urals, but all tunneling has been avoided. The writer did not see a single tunnel in the Ural range. It is a remarkable fact that during the trans-Siberian railway inspection the writer did not observe a tunnel anywhere; and even after continuing the inspection right into the heart of Russia, about 2000 miles more of line had been covered before he saw the first tunnel. This was near Tula, not far from the illustrious Tolstoi's home; and it was while responding to a prearranged invitation from le grand Russe, that the writer came across this, the first tunnel noted, after 6000 miles of overland railway inspection.

Russian railway engineer would sooner blow up a small mountain than make a tunnel, leaving a yawning chasm between the rocks, with two "screaks of rust" at the bottom thereof as a souvenir of his activity. Or, if he finds that, after going to the mountain, the mountain is not likely to yield to him, his instructions are to circumvent it by a long detour. Anything to avoid tunneling! The primary aversion for tunnels in Russia is not alone their first cost, but their subsequent cost; for tunnels, like houses, always have "something the matter with them."—Cassier's Magazine.

**Cameras in Congressional Library.**

Contrary to the custom in most public buildings, visitors are permitted to carry their cameras into the congressional library, and in consequence all manner of operators, from the child with its first tiny box camera to the experienced professional, are found with all sizes and conditions of cameras "taking" the rooms and halls in their splendid furnishings and beautiful decorations. The crowds of visitors interfere somewhat with making time exposures, as there is hardly an hour in the day when strangers are not tramping their way through the building on their round of sightseeing. Next to the capitol, it attracts the most persons of any of the objects of interest in Washington, from 5000 to 10,000 visitors in a day being not uncommon, while there have been as many as 30,000 in a single day.

**No Wonder He Wanted It Fumigated.**

"Disinfect the house thor-r-roughly, me b'y," said Mr. O'Toole, when the negotiations for renting the cottage had been completed, "and we'll move in to once."

"Why do you wish it disinfected?" inquired the agent. "The place is perfectly clean."

"Shure," replied Mr. O'Toole, as expressive of great shrewdness, "the last fam'ly that lived in it had tr-r-riplits."—Judge.

**Fought for Meager Pay.**

A paragraph about the pay of the officers when the old Constitution was compelling the people of the world to respect our young republic is worth giving. Hull, Bainbridge and Stewart won lasting honors on $2.50 a day. Morris, whose ready wit suggested the use of the kedge when she was in the race with the British squadron, was receiving $1.33 a day. Able seamen were paid $17 a month.—Scribner's Magazine.


**Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!**

Ask your grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. One-fourth the price of coffee. 15c and 25c per package. Sold by all grocers.


**Musical Fish.**

Many fish can produce musical sounds. The trigia can produce long-drawn notes ranging over nearly an octave. Others, notably two species of ophidium, have sound-producing apparatus, consisting of small movable bones, which can be made to produce a sharp rattle. The curious "drumming" made by the species called umbrivas can be heard from a depth of twenty fathoms.


**Crosby Transportation Co. and**

Grand Trunk Ry. system, Grand Haven Route. Shortest, cheapest and most popular line to all points in Michigan, Canada and the East. Steamers leave Milwaukee every night at 9:15 p. m. Write or call at ticket office, 400 East Water St.


**Chinese Executioners.**

The state executioners in Canton, China, recently struck for higher pay. They received 500 cash (15 cents) after every execution, and they demanded double that amount.


**Lane's Family Medicine**

Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price 25 and 50c.


—The Chinese empire includes one-twelfth of the land surface of the world and one-fourth of the world's population.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CONSUMPTION


## IN GAY NEW YORK.

Scenes and Incidents of Everyday Life in the Parts of America.

**A TALE OF WHOA!**

Morning.

Goodby, old horse, we'll turn you out
To roam o'er hill and plain;
We've bought a horseless carriage and
We'll never need you again;
With gasoline, oil or gas line
We'll ride from morn till dark
And on a Sunday afternoon
Go pooling through the park.
You're hardly worth a piece of pie!
Good-by, old horse, good by!

Evening.

Come here, old horse, we need your pull
To get us home tonight;
This nasty, stubbing, pulling thing
Is not perfected quite.
Ten miles from home it fussed and fumed
And then refused to go;
And minus both a push and pull
Is was a case of whoa!
If you'll return, so will our joy.
Good boy, old horse, good boy.

Exchange.

Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs has named her new Newport villa Miramar, the Spanish for Seaview.

The stage coach line in Central park to Grant's tomb and back, has put on automobile service. The fare will be increased from 5 to 10 cents.

Polo at Narragansett, golf at Southampton, golf at Bar Harbor, tennis and yachting at Newport, with luncheons, dinners and small dances everywhere, this is the programme for the society world at the swell summering places.

Among the strangers in New York is the Earl of Latham, whose family name it Wilbraham. He was for a number of years captain of the Yeomen of the Guard, and is a wealthy landed proprietor in England. He is at the Murray Hill hotel.

There is some prospect of the Casino hops being discontinued. Last Thursday there was not a single couple dancing, and the hop has long ago been ignored by society, and also by the town people, who follow closely in the wake of the summer residents.

"Why did I select John Drew to play Richard Carvel?" said Charles Frohman, in reply to a question yesterday. "Because of his dexterity as a swordsman, for one thing, and then, too, I think he has just the qualifications to personate the young American gentleman of the interesting period of that novel."

Among the beach attractions of a resort near New York city is a "wild man," who, according to the posters outside, was caught alive in Borneo. His name is billed as "An-nahk-r-am," and it is declared that he eats cats, dogs, birds and mice. The name spelled backward bears a close resemblance to that of a famous Ohio statesman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Martin and Lord and Lady Craven are again in London. Mrs. Bradley Martin was a guest at a large dinner given by Maj.-Gen. and Mrs. Maxwell at their new home, in Half Moon street. Lord and Lady Decrhurst and Lord and Lady Coventry were also present. Maj.-Gen. Maxwell was formerly governor of Khartoum.

Society is greatly excited over the announcement made recently that Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish had decided to give a grand ball and had selected the evening of August 21 for the event, which will be even more elaborate than anything ever before attempted by Mrs. Fish. It will be held at Crossways. There will be a double cotillon and special features introduced. It will probably be the biggest event of its kind of the season.

Mrs. William Astor gave a dinner at Beechwood, Newport, last night. It was her first entertainment of the season and was given for Mrs. Astor's guests, Col. and Mrs. John Jacob Astor, and the party included persons of note and distinguished foreigners. Beechwood was specially decorated for the occasion, and halls, piazzas and dining room were banked with palms and plants, while the floral decorations were American Beauty roses. An orchestra was in attendance, placed behind a screen of palms.

Newport society is aroused over a rumor that Mrs. Adolph Ladenberg is soon to marry a rich English nobleman whose name is kept secret. This engagement has been hinted at in the different London prints, but Mrs. Ladenberg remains silent on the subject. Newport is waiting with impatience for the announcement. She is the leading spirit of the Meadowbrook Hunt club, and was Miss Emily Stevens before her marriage to the millionaire banker. Adolph Ladenberg disappeared from the steamer Niagara on a voyage from Nassau in 1895.

Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs has returned to Newport from a flying visit to New York city. The housewarming at Rosecliff, to be given soon, will be also a garden fete, when the remarkable garden of Rosecliff will be seen at its best. Upon this Mrs. Oelrichs has lavished money and the best skill of the landscape gardener. Masses of vivid foliage plants form a carpet; trees are cut into curious shapes, and rare vines and plants are everywhere. Upon the occasion of the fete many of the dainty garden costumes brought from Paris will have a first wearing.

An engagement ring that lately left the jeweler's for the hand of beauty is declared to be quite too dinky for words, whatever that may mean. At any rate, it consists of two large pearls, one white and one pink, framed in a double heart-shaped setting of diamonds, surmounted by a true lover's knot. What an improvement on the old-time diamond solitaire! Speaking of rings, a society girl named Ada has lately been wearing on her littlest finger a ring set with an amethyst, a diamond and another amethyst, so all who run may read her pretty name in precious stones.

Public automobiles to hold ten persons are the latest. Stages of this kind were put into service the other day, running through Central park to Riverside drive, and thence to Grant's tomb and return. Besides the ten passengers inside there is room for one outside by the side of the driver. Three vehicles have been put on as a starter, and they are full on every trip. There is no standing up allowed. When the ten inside and one outside passengers are in their places the machine will not take any more. In this respect at least the new electric stages are a vast improvement on the trolley cars and other public carriers of the metropolis.

One of the effects of the diaphanous shirtwaist, that has been so fashionable this summer, is curious. At the summer resorts around New York when a girl appears in evening dress it is seen that she is apparently artistically tattooed on her neck and arms. The explanation is that she is sunburned by the pattern of her thin shirtwaist. Men who go down to the seashore at intervals declare that half the girls they see at the hops in the evening show the patterns of their waists and that some of them are extremely

## STYLISH STEAMER CAPE.

Cream ladies' cloth cape trimmed with black braid and lined with red plaid silk. The hood is lined with the same silk.

beautiful. "Why go to a dime museum to see tattooed beauties when society provides them free of charge?" ask these young men.

J. Wadsworth Ritchie, a Boston society favorite and a cotillon leader, who went abroad with his wife two years ago, has imitated William Waldorf Astor and expatriated himself and become a British subject. Mr. Ritchie is a grandson of Gen. James S. Wadsworth, who was killed in the battle of the Wilderness. He is now in South Africa with the yeomanry. Mrs. Ritchie was Miss Emily Montague Tooker, daughter of G. Mead Tooker. She is now in Cape Town. Friends here are advised by letter that "Jack" Ritchie has sworn allegiance to Queen Victoria and changed his name to that borne by his mother's family, Wadsworth. Society is amazed and at a loss to understand it.

The curiosity often expressed concerning the value of the personal estate left by Adolph Ladenburg has been satisfied in the report of Henry E. Stanton of Jamaica, L. I. At the time of Mr. Ladenburg's death the estate was estimated at about $5,000,000. The report of the person appointed to fix the amount of the state transfer tax payable upon the estate places the actual value at $373,970.63, of which all but $10,000 is chargeable to Mr. Ladenburg's interest in the firm of Ladenburg, Thalman & Co. Of this amount the state gets $5000. Mrs. Ladenburg has a third interest in the estate, while her child, Eugenie Mary Ladenburg, who is 5 years old, is heir to the remainder.

Work of raising funds for the navy arch has practically been abandoned. Nothing more will be done until autumn, if then. Not a contribution of any moment has been received by the committee since April. All this was admitted at the offices of the Citizens' committee in the St. Paul building. The whole scheme for the arch has been altered. It has been decided to cut the amount to be raised from $1,000,000 to $500,000, and to dispense with the decorated columns, which are the feature that makes the original arch beautiful. Practically nothing has been received since Dewey's announcement of his candidacy for President. Most of the fund was collected before December 1 last.

The New York vaudeville stage is not to be graced by the presence of Lady Francis Hope, known to fame as May Yohe. Accompanied by her husband, Lord Francis, and a real English maid, whose speech is flavored with "Bow Bells," Lady Francis has arrived at the Hoffman house, and there she will put up until August 8, when the party will sail for England on the Oceanic. That she would play an engagement here she emphatically denied, using the maid as a mouthpiece. Lady Francis declined to see reporters and gave out her schedule by proxy. In the first place Lady Francis was said to be "very, very tired." They had come straight through from 'Frisco, and "five days on the railway are very hard, don't you know."

"Steeple Bob" Merrill, with two helpers, lowered the old weather vane which surmounted the great gilt ball at the top of St. Paul's church steeple the other day. The vane had been in position since the building of the church, 106 years ago. It is 8 feet long and 4½ feet in height; it is made of iron and copper and weighs about 250 pounds. The vane was completely covered with rust and several of the rivets were missing. It will be repaired and gilded. As soon as this has been done it will be hoisted up again and put in its old position. Hundreds of people watched "Steeple Bob" at his work. Among the spectators was Mrs. Merrill. She said she was not afraid of her husband falling. The work of repairing the steeple will continue for several weeks.

The will of Natalie Mayer, a daughter of Henry O. Havemeyer, who died on July 14 last at her home in Mahwah, N. J., from a self-inflicted pistol wound, was probated at Hackensack. The will was made in Paris on December 16, 1899. The first name in the list of bequests is that of Clifton H. Paige, who obtained notoriety through the investigation made by Coroner Vroom of Ridgewood after Mrs. Mayer's death. Paige is no relative of the Havemeyers, but for the last six or seven years had been a sort of private secretary and companion to Mrs. Mayer. He was given $10,000. One-third of the estate is to go into a trust for the husband, John Mayer, who is to receive the income and interest. The other two-thirds, and Mr. Mayer's third at his death, is divided equally among the children of the testatrix.

The nocturnal serenade is the latest diversion at Newport. Count Tarnowski of the Austrian legation, who is at Newport from Bar Harbor for a few days; Henry Clews, Jr., and Robert L. Gerry instituted this new mode of merry-making, and their venture, rather daring as it was, considering the hour, proved a charming success. Occasionally the music induced speechmaking, and at Belcourt someone nominated Mr. Belmont for President on the "third party" ticket, at which the band resurrected that old-time air, "Silver Threads Among the Gold," winding up quite as appropriately with a few strains of that newer creation, "The Tiger Lily." The rising of the sun put an end to the jollity, but as the serenaders were able to get only half way around among their friends they may be expected to resume at any time.

Walsingham of the Boston Herald rebels at the latest slang at Newport. He says: "The one word 'fierce,' the latest coinage of current slang, is the crowning gem of these lively young ladies' vocabulary. 'Fierce!' greets one in the early morning on the seaside veranda and serves as a parting salute at night. That little word possesses a parrot-like reiteration that fairly shocks the senses even given the calming effect of the sea air. Unwelcome enough from masculine lips, it is doubly atrocious when voiced by the eternal feminine. But the 'society girl' a la vaudeville is not gifted with the power to vary her vocabulary. She is a species of human phonograph, only calculated to reproduce and not invent. The weak little brain has seized upon 'fierce!' and 'fierce!' it is to the end of the chapter, until some other word replaces it. There is no flight sanctioned by 'smart' English society to which the young lady who prides herself on being so sprightly does not aspire."

## DISPUTES THE SPEAKER.

**Political Meetings in England Are Interrupted by Questioners.**

The man who asks questions and insists on their being answered is a familiar presence at all party meetings. One of England's many debts to Scotland is the loan of the expressive word used to describe him. He is known as the heckler. The speaker is not allowed to disregard him. If a statement is disputed it is the orator's place to make it good. Any member of the audience may rise to his feet and shout out a contradiction whenever he feels like it, and by the custom of English public life the speaker is expected to make some reply on the spot. He is not, of course, bound to, but unless he has forgotten all the impromptus that shrewd men carry about with them for such emergencies he usually does.

Mr. Chamberlain was always a dangerous man to cross in debate, but the personal feeling against him was so bitter for years after his withdrawal from the ranks of the Separatists that many an unhappy man was driven to fill against his shield. It was delicious to watch Mr. Chamberlain's handling of the situation. He would pause when the interruption grew serious and give the heckler a chance to make himself well heard. "Now, if you will allow me, I will ask that gentleman to get upon a chair, that we may all have the pleasure of seeing him." A dozen anxious hands would hoist the objector into unwelcome prominence. "Now, sir," came the clear, passionless voice, "will you kindly speak up? I should be sorry if anyone missed what you have to say."

The heckler, now quite unnerved, would stammer out something, and Mr. Chamberlain, listening with a malicious smile, would quietly readjust his eyeglass, and, turning to the audience, fling out a reply—cool, cutting and decisive.—Harper's Magazine.

## JACK STRAWS.

Fortune tellers—the assessors.

Not a birthright—left-handedness.

We are now in the August presence of dog days.

Is the shirtmaker to be regarded as a bosom friend?

The heat that hugs the shore isn't always a smack.

People who keep lots of servants are easily done for.

The pawnbroker does business "all by his loan some."

The shoe manufacturer seems to be in it with both feet.

The iceman tells us that his commodity sells like hot cakes.

Even the jailer may lack the means of shutting up his wife.

Though not especially literary, the baker is devoted to Browning.

When a man has the "dough," his wife doesn't do her own baking.

**Has Its Uses.**

Baseball is good while it lasts. It keeps a boy from smoking cigarettes while he wears the cage over his countenance.—New Orleans Picayune.

## THEY WANT AIR AND EXERCISE

**Children's Minds Should Lie Fallow Till They Are Seven Years Old.**

Sir John Gorst cannot be called a great educational reformer, but he is a worthy educational cattle, and he has given the country some food for the gift in his recent deliverance upon the subject of its first subjects. There was time when it was held that education could not be begun too early. Modern physiologists say, on the contrary, that until 7, at the earliest, a child's mind had much better be allowed to lie fallow. What it wants is air and exercise, and it has intellectual exercise enough in using its natural powers of observation. But Great Britain spends an enormous sum every year in educating, or preparing to educate, babies of 3 years old, and even under. So far as any education is really administered at such an age, it is an almost unmixed evil, and perhaps accounts for the number of dunces in the world.—London Correspondent.


**BEST FOR THE BOWELS.**

No matter what ails you, headache to a cancer, you will never get well until your bowels are put right. CASCARETS help nature, cure you without a gripe or pain, produce easy natural movements, cost you just 10 cents to start getting your health back. CASCARETS Candy Cathartic, the genuine, put up in metal boxes, every tablet has C. C. C. stamped on it. Beware of imitations.


**Women in China.**

It is something of a mistake to suppose that women in China have no rights that a man is bo'nd to respect. The idea that she is of no importance is altogether incorrect. In her home, as a wife, she exercises an authority that would make a denizen of the Western world gasp with wonder.

**Finest Collection of Pearls.**

One of the finest collections of pearls known is that of the Queen of Italy. It is so large that she cannot wear all of the rows she owns, and as they lose their color if not always in the light some of them adorn her ladies in waiting.

**What Do the Children Drink?**

Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing, and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee, but costs about ¼ as much. All grocers sell it. 15c and 25c.

**An Artificial Larynx.**

The larynx of a man in Sydney, Australia, became useless through disease, and he lost his voice. Prof. Stuart of the University of Sydney made an artificial one and it can be so regulated as to make the voice soprano, tenor, contralto or bass at will.


**Do Your Feet Ache and Burn?**

Shake into your shoes Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It makes tight or new shoes feel easy. Cures Corns, Bunions, Swollen, Hot and Sweating Feet. At all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.


**Patron Saint of Russian Printers.**

The printers of Moscow, Russia, are talking of erecting a monument to or otherwise perpetuating the memory of Ivan Fjodorow, who in 1553 printed the first books in that place.


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is so good and so cheap that no family can afford to be without it. Is yours Carter's?


—English bankers in China give native commercial men a name for strict business honesty.


Piso's Cure for Consumption is an infallible medicine for coughs and colds.—N. W. Samuel, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1900.


—A pet robin awoke a farmer in New Jersey in time for him to frighten away burglars.


**Hall's Catarrh Cure**

Is taken internally. Price 75 cents.


—When a mosquito has gorged himself with human blood he dies within a few hours.


**Cockroach Exitor** is a sure exterminator for cockroaches, bedbugs, red ants, etc. Sent by mail for $1. M. Freye & Co., 218 Sycamore St., Milwaukee, Wis.


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# Lydia E. Pinkham's

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## MARSHFIELD ITEMS.

Henry Biese, who has been employed by the city for some time past, was killed on Monday afternoon by the caving in of the gravel bank near the Hospital. Theo. Gosseline being hurt at the same time, but not seriously. The two men were engaged in loading a wagon with gravel and had excavated under the bank when it caved in, forcing Mr. Biese's neck and head against the hub of the wagon, cutting great gashes in his neck and head, death resulting almost instantly, he having died before he could be removed from his terrible position. The deceased leaves a wife and seven children. It was thought that Gosseline's legs had been broken, but such was not the case, although he was badly bruised.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nell, who have spent the past six months in Europe, returned home last Friday evening, after a very delightful sojourn among old scenes and acquaintances. While they have yearned for half a century to visit their old home, and had a good time while there, they were glad to be in America once more.

It is possible that another wrestling match may be held between Beell and Adamson, as the latter while here said he would like to try his man again at $50 a side and the total gate receipts.

The farewell dance given Friday night by the band and militia company was not well attended but a good time was had.

## CRANMOOR.

Mrs. Emma Barstow and daughter Louise, of Crete, Nebraska, arrived Saturday for a short visit with her brother S. N. Whittlesey and family.

Mrs. S. N. Whittlesey departed Tuesday evening for Orient, South Dakota. While there she will be the guest of the Conway families.

Mr. and Mrs. Foley and daughters Mary and Evelyn were Nekoosa visitors Thursday.

Miss McCumley returned to her home in Grand Rapids Sunday morning after a few days with the Whittleseys.

Next Tuesday the 14th is convention day.

### M. E. Church.

Rev. F. A. Nimits, pastor.

Public services for Sunday, Aug. 12, 1900.

9:30 a. m. Class Meeting.
10:30 a. m. Preaching.
11:45 a. m. Sunday School.
3:00 p. m. Junior League.
6:45 p. m. Epworth League.
7:30 p. m. Preaching.

Subject for morning, "The Vision that brings Unrest to the Soul."

Subject of evening sermon, "The Man who asserts Himself."

Special music will be furnished by the ladies' quartet in the morning and by the gentlemen's quartet in the evening.

### A Mother tells how She saved Her little Daughter's Life.

I am the mother of eight children and have had a great deal of experience with medicines. Last summer my little daughter had the dysentery in the worst form. We thought she would die. I tried everything I could think of, but nothing seemed to do her any good. I saw by advertisement in our paper that Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy was highly recommended and sent and got a bottle at once. It proved to be one of the very best medicines we ever had in the house. I am anxious for every mother to know what an excellent medicine it is. It saved my little daughter's life. Had I known it at first it would of saved me a great deal of anxiety and my little daughter much suffering.—Yours truly, MRS. GEO. F. BURDICK, Liberty, R. I. For sale by Johnson & Hill Co.

### First Congregational Church.

MAPLE AVENUE, WEST SIDE.

Rev. B. J. H. Shaw, pastor.

Public services for Sunday, Aug. 12, 1900.

10:30 a. m. Morning service. Subject, "The Clearer Vision."
12 m. Sunday School.
7:30 p. m. Evening service. Subject, "The Sea and its Suggestions."

On Sunday evenings during August will consider some special aspects of Nature and their spiritual suggestiveness, with illustrative readings from Wordsworth, Lowell, Emerson and Whittier.

Anthems and solos at each service.

### Prevented a Tragedy.

Timely information given Mrs. George Long, of New Straitsville, Ohio, saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night. She had tried many remedies and doctors but steadily grew worse until urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle wholly cured her; she writes, this marvelous medicine also cured Mr. Long of a severe attack of pneumonia. Such cures are positive proof of its power to cure all throat, chest and lung troubles. Only 50c and $1.00. Guaranteed. Trial bottles free at Johnson & Hill Co's drug store.

### More New Towns

On the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry. between Aberdeen and the Missouri river. They are being surveyed now. Watch the papers for dates of opening sales which will be within the next three weeks. We want a few more men and boys in each of these towns to look after business for yourself and us. Call or send Postal to Land Department, C. M. & St. P. Ry., Milwaukee, Wis.

### Story of a Slave.

For [illegible] years he was the slave of disease, the worst form of slavery. He is Wilhelm, of Manistique, Mich., and his wife has been his nurse for years. After [illegible] he was induced to try Electric Bitters. The first bottle gave relief, and a few bottles wholly cured him. This supreme remedy for all stomach, liver and kidney troubles quickly cures Nervousness, Indigestion, Dizziness, Headache, Fainting Spells, Female Complaints, Weakness, Malaria and Blood Poisoning. Only 50c. Guaranteed by Johnson & Hill Co's drug store.

## ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

—FARM FOR SALE.—A one hundred and twenty acre farm located about five miles from this city on the Stevens Point road. A good dwelling house on same. For particulars write to Mrs. P. Welsh, Eagle River, Wis.

Garry and Jim Mason, Will Nash and Jesse Heg, returned from their trip down the Wisconsin on Sunday. They made the journey in four days and report a good time. The Messrs. Mason visited at Portage before returning and Messrs. Heg and Nash made a short visit at Fond du Lac.

Prof. J. E. Tenny, of Westfield Academy, was in the city on Monday on his way home from a trip north on the St. Paul road. The professor says their term will open on Aug. 29th with the largest fall of scholars. During the coming school year a complete business course will be taught at the academy.

Miss Fley Pallfee entertained a party of friends on Friday night of last week in honor of Miss Maud Tibbits. There were anagrams and the first prize, a statuary piece was captured by Miss Tibbits. The gentleman's prize, a book was won by James Vaughn. Light refreshments were served.

A large number of town people went out to the home of Henry Boettcher in Sigel to attend the dance and supper incident to the marriage of Mr. Boetcher's two daughters which occurred Tuesday. Those who attended the festivities report that they were royally entertained and the fun was kept up until a late hour.

—Norton, the Stove Man, is still on earth and will be found in the Wagner block across from the old stand. Don't fail to call on him for all kinds of stove repairs, also stoves and everything that goes with stoves.

### Joined the Army.

Roy Getts, Elmer Glass, Frank Sweeney, Gus. Closnit, Will Young, Ben Toepel, Ernest Young, Fred Miller, Joe Bodette and Charles Raath went to Stevens Point to enlist in the regular army. Ben Toepel and Ernest Young were accepted. The recruiting officer did not have time to examine all of the applicants but stated that he would be in this city soon to make enlistments.

—On every bottle of Shiloh's Consumption Cure is this guarantee: "All we ask of you is to use two-thirds of the contents of this bottle faithfully, then if you can say you are not benefited return the bottle to your druggist and he may refund the price paid." Price 25 cts., 50 cts. and $1.00. Sold by Centralia Drug Co.

### Epworth League Social.

The ice cream social given by the Epworth League of the M. E. church on Tuesday evening was a complete success socially and financially. The room was beautifully decorated with flags and bunting, while asparagus ferns and cut flowers were scattered about in great profusion. The tables were laid with the daintiest of covers. The cream and cake were as fine as though made by professionals, and was thoroughly enjoyed by the large number present. The young people of the League did themselves "proud." The receipts were about $16.

### German Moravian Church.

Rev. A. Petterson, pastor.

Public services for Sunday, Aug. 12, 1900.

10:30, a. m. Preaching.
3:00 p. m. Junior C. E.
6:45 p. m. Senior C. E.
7:45, English preaching by the pastor.

Subject of evening sermon, "Three Ways to the Lord."

You are cordially invited to attend. Bring your friends.

### Scandinavian Moravian Church

Rev. J. J. Groenfeldt, pastor.

Services Sunday and week day.

9:30 a. m. Sunday school.
10:30 a. m. Preaching.

Wednesday evening at 7:30, bible reading and prayer service.

Preaching in Rudolph every alternate Sunday at 3 o'clock.

To all the services of the church you are always welcome.

—Dr. D. Waters, physician and surgeon. Office over Church's drug store, telephone 182. Night calls at Dixon House, telephone 55.

### Ordinance 65.

An Ordinance Relating to the Destruction of Rubbish, Waste Material and Garbage.

The Common Council of the city of Grand Rapids do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. It is hereby declared unlawful for any person or corporation to dump, unload or throw on any premises not owned or occupied by him or it any rubbish, debris, waste material or garbage of every kind and description.

SECTION 2. It is hereby made the duty of every person and corporation to destroy all rubbish, debris, waste material and garbage of every kind and description that can be destroyed by fire or other means, upon premises owned or occupied by him or it, within two days after [illegible] written notice from the Street commissioner to do so.

SECTION 3. It is hereby made the duty of every person and corporation to deposit all rubbish, debris, waste material and garbage of every kind and description, that can't be destroyed by fire or other means, upon premises owned or occupied by him or it, within two days after [illegible] written notice from the Street commissioner, within such suitable places as the Street commissioner, within two days after receiving written notice from the Street commissioner to do so.

SECTION 4. Every person shall, upon any [illegible] of the provisions of the first, second, third sections of this ordinance, be punished by a forfeit not less than $2.00 and not more than $5.00 and all the costs of prosecution.

SECTION 5. Any person found guilty of violating [illegible] shall be liable to pay [illegible] in the judicial district [illegible] Wood [illegible] the Sheriff fully paid, or [illegible] days [illegible] than [illegible]

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall take effect [illegible] and after its passage and publication.

Approved August 7, A. D. 1900.

B. R. GOGGINS, Mayor.

Attest:
M. W. MOSHER, Clerk.
Published August 9, A. D. 1900.

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### C. M. & St. Paul Excursions.

National Encampment G. A. R. the C. M. & St. Paul will sell excursion tickets to Chicago Aug. 25 to 28th good to return until Sept. 1st at $7.35 for round trip. An extension to Sept. 3 on return limit can be obtained at an extra cost of 50 cents.

Wisconsin State Fair, $4.35 to Milwaukee will sell Sept. 5 to 14th inclusive return coupons good until Sept. 15.

You can visit the Dells at Kilbourn for $3.85 leaving here any Friday or Saturday up to Sept. 30th good to return the following Monday. This includes the steamer ride.

Democratic State Convention at Milwaukee will sell Aug. 21 and 22 return limit to Aug. 24 at $4.85 for round trip.

S. M. SCHLATTERER, Agent.

### Notice of General Election.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, }
DEPARTMENT OF STATE. }

Notice is hereby given, that at a general election to be held in the several towns, wards, villages and election districts of the State of Wisconsin on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday being the 6th day of November, A. D. 1900, the following officers are to be elected, to-wit:

Two electors of President and Vice President of the United States.

A Governor, in the place of Edward Scofield, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A Lieutenant Governor, in place of Jesse Stone, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A Secretary of State, in place of William H. Froehlich, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A State Treasurer, in place of James O. Davidson, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

An Attorney General, in place of Emmett R. Hicks, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A State Superintendent, in place of Lorenzo D. Harvey, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A Railroad Commissioner, in place of Graham L. Rice, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A Commissioner of Insurance, in place of Emil Gilleland, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A Representative in Congress for the Eighth Congressional District, consisting of the counties of Wood, Portage, Waupaca, Outagamie, Brown, Kewaunee and Door.

In accordance with section 1 of article XII, of the constitution of the state of Wisconsin, the following [illegible] to submission adopted by the legislature of the state of Wisconsin at the regular session of 1899, are made a part of the foregoing notice, to-wit:

[No. 9, S.]

JOINT RESOLUTION No. 1.

Proposing to amend section 10, of article 8, of the constitution of Wisconsin, relating to good roads.

Resolved, by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That section 10 of article 8 of the constitution of Wisconsin, be amended by adding thereunto the following:

The state may, however, appropriate money to be raised by taxation and not in anywise to constitute a public debt, to be used in the construction or improvement of public highways, such construction or improvement to be made in the manner provided by law.

[No. 12, S.]

JOINT RESOLUTION No. 8.

Proposing an amendment to article XIII of the constitution of the state of Wisconsin to prohibit the pass system.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That article XIII of the constitution be amended by adding a new section, to be numbered and to read as follows: Section 11. No person, association, co-partnership, or corporation shall promise, offer, or give, for any purpose, to any political committee, or any member or employee thereof, to any candidate for or incumbent of any office or position under the constitution or laws, or under any ordinance of any town or municipality, of this state, or to any person at the request or for the advantage of all or any of them, any free pass or frank, or any privilege withheld from any person, for the travelling accommodation or transportation of any person or property, or the transmission of any message or communication.

No political committee and no member or employee thereof, no candidate for and no incumbent of any office or position under the constitution or laws, or any ordinance of any town or municipality of this state, shall ask for, or accept, from any person, association, co-partnership, or corporation, or use, in any manner, or for any purpose, any free pass or frank, or any privilege withheld from any person, for traveling accommodation or transportation of any person or property, or the transmission of any message or communication.

Any violation of any of the above provisions shall be bribery and punished as provided by law, and if any officer or any member of the legislature be guilty thereof, his office shall become vacant.

No person within the purview of this act shall be privileged from testifying in relation to anything therein prohibited, and no person having so testified shall be liable to any prosecution or punishment for any offense concerning which he was required to give his testimony or produce any documentary evidence.

The railroad commissioner and his deputy in the discharge of duty are excepted from the provisions of this amendment.

[No. 10, A.]

JOINT RESOLUTION No. 13.

Proposing an amendment to article 11 of the constitution of Wisconsin, giving the legislature power to pass a general banking law.

Resolved by the Assembly and the Senate concurring, That article 11 of the constitution of the State of Wisconsin be and is hereby amended by substituting for sections 4 and 5 thereof a new section to be known as section 4 and reading as follows:

Section 4. The legislature shall have power to enact a general banking law for the creation of banks, and for the regulation and supervision of the banking business, provided that the vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, to be taken by yeas and nays, be in favor of the passage of such law.

[No. 21, S.]

JOINT RESOLUTION No. 16.

Proposing an amendment to section 1 of article 10, of the constitution of the state of Wisconsin relating to education.

Resolved, by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That section 1, of article 10, of the constitution of the state of Wisconsin be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. The supervision of public instruction shall be vested in a state superintendent and such other officers as the legislature shall direct and their qualifications, powers, duties and compensation shall be prescribed by law. The state superintendent shall be chosen by the qualified electors of the state at the same time and in the same manner as members of the supreme court, and shall hold his office for four years from the succeeding first Monday in July. The state superintendent chosen at the general election in November, 1902, shall hold and continue in his office until the first Monday in July, 1905, and his successor shall be chosen at the time of the judicial election in April, 1905. The term of office, time and manner of electing or appointing all other officers of supervision of public instruction shall be fixed by law.

Given under my hand and official seal at the capitol in the city of Madison on the first day of August, A. D. 1900.

To the County Clerk of Wood County, Wis.

WM. H. FROEHLICH, Secretary of State.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, } ss.
County of Wood. }

Pursuant to the above, notice is hereby given that at a General Election to be held in the several towns, wards, villages and election precincts of Wood county, state of Wisconsin, on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday, being the 6th day of November, A. D. 1900, the following officers are to be elected, to wit:

A Member of Assembly for Wood County, in place of A. E. Germer, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January A. D. 1901.

A County Clerk in place of William H. Bowers whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A County Treasurer in place of Michael G. Flockinston, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A Sheriff in the place of Michael Vincent, whose term of office will expire on the 1st Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A Register of Deeds in place of James Vaughn whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January A. D. 1901.

A Clerk of Circuit Court in place of William White, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A District Attorney in the place of Dennis D. Conway, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A County Superintendent of Schools in place of Otto J. Lau, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A County Surveyor in place of William Corcoran, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A Coroner in place of James Bush, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

Given under my hand and seal at the court house in the city of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, this 1st day of August, A. D. 1900.

[SEAL] W. H. REMLEY, County Clerk.

## COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Council Room, Aug. 7, 1900.

Council met pursuant to adjournment. Mayor Goggins presiding.

Aldermen Hewitt, Wood, Lutz, Reland, Kellner, Brooks, Platt, Otto, Auchwet, Quaderer, Schlosser, Kellogg, Rossler and Hill.

The Finance committee reported recommending the purchasing of the Centralia Hardware Co's lay's sales at $70. Report adopted.

The Street committee reported back the petition asking the stumping and widening of the street running east from Milwaukee street along the north side of the Wm. Corcoran place without recommendation, and also reported a proposition from Wm. Corcoran offering the city the 30 feet strip of land along the north side of his forty that city desired for street purposes for $250 or give the city $25 to leave the street as it is.

Moved and carried that the Street committee and city attorney take proper legal proceedings to acquire the above mentioned strip of land for street purposes. In case Mr. Corcoran will take $175 for same, he to remove his barn, pump and fence, street committee were on like motion authorized to make the purchase.

The Street committee reported on the petition asking the continuation of the water main on Cranberry street west from the Mc Kercher residence a distance of about 200 feet favoring the petition but recommending that same be laid over until next spring.

Dr. Pomainville, health officer, made a report condemning the lot back of Miss A. M. Gordon's near Market Square on the East Side and the lot near Mrs. Akey's residence on the West Side, because of the stagnant water thereon, which is dangerous to the health of the community.

Moved and carried that the above matter be left to Street committee for proper action, they to act under the advice of city attorney.

Petition presented asking the establishment of a grade, and the laying of a sidewalk on French street from Cranberry street southwest to lot 5, blk. 4, Mc Comb's addition.

Same was on motion referred to Street committee to be reported on at the next meeting.

Petition presented asking council to authorize City Engineer to establish the curb line and sidewalk line, and set grade stake for same on the west side of French street to Green Bay Ry. crossing. The prayer of the petition was granted and city engineer instructed to establish said lines on French street from Cranberry street to Lincoln street.

Moved and carried that the track for vehicles on French street from G. H. Corriveau's residence north to Lincoln street be one rod wide from center of street.

Moved and seconded that if the sewer from Dr. Boorman's corner north along French street could be constructed for $500 that same be built. Motion lost.

Petition presented asking the construction of a gutter along Front street. On motion the prayer of the petioner was granted, and that gutter rock be put in on said street from Bodette's shoe shop south as far as the rock the city has now on hand will reach.

Moved, seconded and unanimously carried that all sidewalks on Cranberry street from the bridge to St. Paul depot be put to curb grade, and that the Street committee be authorized to remove all trees in the street where such removal is necessary to put such sidewalks on grade.

On motion permission was granted Abel and Schroeder to dig ditch across Baker street from court house to county jail.

Moved and carried that the Board of Review have power to employ a stenographer.

An ordinance relating to the pasturing of cattle, horses, etc., on the streets, lanes, alleys and public places in the City of Grand Rapids was presented and unanimously adopted.

An ordinance relating to the destruction of rubbish, waste material and garbage was presented and unanimously adopted.

An ordinance relating to the obstruction of certain streets and sidewalks with wagons, sleighs and other vehicles was presented and unanimously adopted.

The above ordinances may be seen in legal form.

Proceedings continued next week.

MILTON W. MOSHER, City Clerk.

### Ordinance 66.

An Ordinance Relating to the Pasturing of Cattle, Horses, etc., on the Streets, Lanes, Alleys and Public Places of the City of Grand Rapids.

The Common Council of the city of Grand Rapids do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. It is hereby declared unlawful for any person or corporation owning or having in his or its possession any horse, mule, colt, gelding, mare, cow, calf, goat, sheep or other neat cattle to permit any such animal to graze, feed or depasture, or be fed, staked or tied in any way for such purpose in or upon any street, lane, alley or public place in said city of Grand Rapids.

SECTION 2. Any person or corporation found guilty of violating section 1 of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine [illegible] dollar and not more than twenty ($20.00) dollars.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved August 7, A. D. 1900.

B. R. GOGGINS, Mayor.

Attest:
M. W. MOSHER, Clerk.
Published August 9, A. D. 1900.

### Ordinance No. 67.

An Ordinance relating to the Obstruction of Certain Streets and Sidewalks with Wagons, Sleighs and other Vehicles.

The Common Council of the city of Grand Rapids do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. It is hereby declared unlawful for any person or corporation to place or cause to be placed or allow to remain any wagon, lumber, sleigh or other vehicle of any kind or description [illegible] drawn by a horse or horses or other animal or animals on any portion of the street or sidewalk on the following named streets, to-wit: Oak, Center, First, Baker, Wisconsin, High, Vine and Elm on the east side and Cranberry, Front, Main, Jackson, Franch, Maple, Spruce, Oak and Franklin on the west side of Wisconsin river, in said city of Grand Rapids, from which said wagon, lumber, sleigh or other vehicle the horse or horses or other animal or animals used for the purpose of hauling, shall have been unhitched or taken away.

SECTION 2. Any person or corporation found guilty of violating section 1 of this ordinance shall on conviction thereof be liable to a fine [illegible] not less than two dollars and not more than twenty dollars.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved August 7, A. D. 1900.

E. R. GOGGINS, Mayor.

Attest:
M. W. MOSHER, Clerk.
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## Notice of Democratic Caucuses and Convention.

STATE OF WICONSIN, } ss.
WOOD COUNTY. }

At a regularly called meeting of the County Committee of the Democratic party of said county, on motion it was resolved and determined,

First, that the County Convention of said party in said county, to elect 8 delegates to the State Convention to be held at Milwaukee, Aug. 22nd, 1900, and to elect 4 delegates to the 8th District Congressional Convention, to be held at New London, Aug. 28, 1900, be held at the City Hall in the City of Marshfield, on the 20th day of August, A. D. 1900, at one o'clock in the afternoon.

Second:—That the caucusses of the several caucus districts, wards, towns and villages, be held on the 16th day of August 1900, opening at the hour of 7 p. m. and continuing as provided by law at the following places respectively and that the number of delegates from each, be as follows; namely:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Auburndale Village | Village hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Auburndale town | Chas. Teske's house | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Grand Rapids, 1st ward | Mahoney's residence | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Grand Rapids, 2nd ward | Library building | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Grand Rapids, 3rd ward | G. A. R. hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Grand Rapids, 4th ward | Pleuke's dwelling | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Grand Rapids, 5th ward | Power house | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Grand Rapids, 6th ward | Worthington's shop | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Grand Rapids, 7th ward | City hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Grand Rapids, 8th ward | Martin Nisson's res. | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Grand Rapids town | Town hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 2 |
| Lincoln town | Leitritz hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 2 |
| Marshfield, 1st ward | Bartl's hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 2 |
| Marshfield, 2nd ward | Hartl's hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 2 |
| Marshfield, 3rd ward | Kohl's shop | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 2 |
| Marshfield, 4th ward | Weiland's laundry | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Marshfield, 5th ward | City hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 2 |
| Marshfield, 6th ward | Wagner's hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Marshfield town | Town Hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Milladore town | Roznau's hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Nekoosa village | Village hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Pittsville, 1st ward | Bunge's house | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Pittsville, 2nd ward | G. A. R. hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Pittsville, 3rd ward | Cotey's hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Port Edwards town | Town hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Remington town | Town hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Richfield town | Town hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Rock town | Town hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Rudolph town | LaVaque's hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 2 |
| Saratoga town | Town hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Seneca town | Town hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Sherry town | Town hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Sigel town | Town hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 2 |
| Vesper town | Arpin Opera House | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Wood town | Town Hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |

We certify the above to be correct.
Dated August 4th, 1900.

L. M. NASH, Chairman of Committee.

ADAM PAULUS, Sec. of Com.


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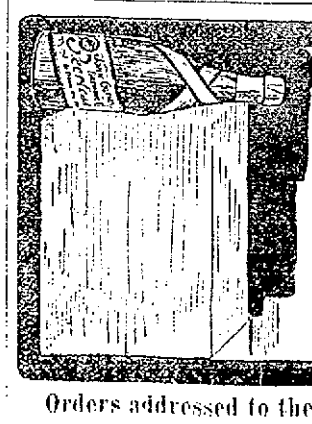

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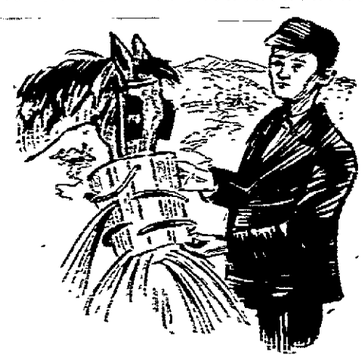

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## NEW LIBRARY BOOKS

### GOOD READING FOR EVERYBODY.

**List of New Books Received by The T. B. Scott Free Library during The Past Week.**

Below is a list of the new books received at the library during the past week. By perusing the list it will be seen that there is a great variety and the list includes works touching on many different subjects.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Ely—Outlines of economics.
McClure—Our presidents and how we make them.
Atkinson—Power transmitted by electricity.
Iles—Flame, electricity and the camera.
Hazen—Filtration of public water supplies.
Warman—Story of the railroad.
Lowe—German Emperor William II.
Ragozin—Tales of the heroic ages: Siegfried and Beowulf.
Burn's Poems and songs.
Hyde—God's education of man.
Cross—Development of the English novel.
Andrews—Historical developement of Europe. 2 Vol.
Burns—English kings according to Shakespeare.
Bailey—Cyclopedia of horticulture Vol. 1 and 2.
Griswold—Descriptive list of novels and tales dealing with history of United States.

FICTION.

Gauvler—Passing of Thomas.
Crane—Red badge of courage.
Webster—Banker and the bear.
Roberston—Red blood and blue.
Pemberton—Feo, a romance.
Tynan—The dear Irish girl.
Cable—John March, southerner.
Ellis—Dread and fear of kings.
Tarkington—Gentleman from Indiana.
Sienkiewicz—Knights of the cross 2 Vol.
Godfrey—Harp of life.
Fowler—The Farringdons.
Corelli—Boy, a sketch.
Allen Grant—Hilda Wade.
Davis—A friend of Caesar.
Dix—Deacon Bradbury.
Allen—Reign of law.
Weyman—Sophia.
Stephens—Philip Winwood.
Tarkington—Monsieur Beaucaire.
Hope—Captain Dieppe.
Wilkins—The heart's highway.
Wilkins—Love of parson Lord.
Mathews—Action and the word.
Grant—Unleavened bread.
Burnett—In connection with the De Willoughly claim.
Crockett—Isle of the winds.
Pool—Meloon Farm.
Benson—The Vintage.
Harris—Uncle Remus.
Thompson—Trail of the sand-hill stag.
Thompson—Biography of a grizzly.

FOR YOUNG PEOPLE.

Strong—All the year round; part 1. autumn.
Field—Lullaby land.
Payne—Nature studies.
Lang—Animal story-book.
Blaisdell—Stories of the civil war.
Bull—Fridtjof Nansen.
Ruskins—King of the golden river.
Giffin—Civics for young Americans.
Troeger—Nature study reader.
Scollard—Boys book of rhyme.
Drake—On Plymouth rock
Kingsley—Madam How and Sady Why.
Scott—Tales of chivalry.
Guerber—Story of the thirteen colonies.
Howells—Stories of Ohio.
Brooks—True story of Christopher Columbus
Cravens—Story of Lincoln.
Brown—Plant baby and its friends.
Pierson—Among the forest people.
Chaplin—Young folks cyclopedia of persons and places.

FICTION.

Johnson—Phaeton Rogers.
Johnson—Explors of Myles Standish.
Hall—In the brave days of old.
Daskam—Smith college stories.
Scudder—Seven little people.
Richards—Melody, the story of a child.
Hale—Four and Five.
Stoddard—With the Black Prince.
Spyri—Heidi
Stuart—Story of Babette.
Stockton—Clocks of Rondaine.
Defoe—Robinson Crusoe.
Black—Four Mac Nicols.
Stuart—Solomon Crow's Xmas pockets.
Eggleston—The big brother.
Burnett—Editha's burglar.

### Death of Mrs. Wipfli.

Mrs. Josephine Wipfli, of Altdorf, died on Thursday morning from the effects of a stroke of paralysis which occurred on Saturday last. The deceased was 59 years old and was an old resident in that section. When she was prostrated by the stroke it was thought that she might recover as she was only paralyzed on one side. The funeral will be held today, interment being in the Catholic cemetery at Altdorf.

### Miss St Amour Entertains.

Miss Pearl St Amour entertained a number of her friends at her home on High street on Wednesday evening. Among those present were: Misses Alyce Nash, Helen Kromer, Florence Phillco, Jessie Stetzer, Maude Tibbits Carrie Briere, Celia Emmons, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Witter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cameron, Messrs. W. J. Conway, James Vaughn, Theo. Brazeau, Dr. Conniff and Frank Atwood.

—Dr. Chas. Pomainville, Dentist. Office over J. A. Cohen's store, Grand Rapids, Wis.

## DEATH OF EGBERT M'LEES.

**Is Kicked by a Horse and Dies from Injuries Next Day.**

Egbert McLees, one of the old residents of Marshfield, died at his home in that city on Monday from injuries received the day before, having been kicked in the groin by a broncho. Deceased was well known all over the county owing to public positions he has held, and all who knew him will be pained to hear of his demise.

In addition to his bereaved wife he leaves a family of four adult children, Mrs. A. F. Lawrence, of Willow Lake, S. D., Mrs. George Lee, Bert and John McLees. The funeral was held Thursday forenoon at 10 o'clock from the M. E. church. The James G. Blaine post G. A. R., of which he had been commander attended in a body. The flag was struck at half mast on the G. A. R. flag staff in his memory.

Mr. McLees was born Oct. 8, 1833, at Norwich, Canada, and came to Wisconsin in 1850, locating first at Atwater. He was married in Fox Lake, June, 14, 1862 and in the spring of 1865 enlisted with Company I, Wisconsin heavy artillery, serving with valor until the close of war. Prior to coming to Marshfield fourteen years ago he lived in Trempeleau, Horicon and Waupun.

### New Lumbering Firm.

On July 24 the articles of incorporation were filed for the lumbering firm to be known as the Pigeon River Lumber Company. The organization of the company took place in this city on Thursday, Aug. 2, when the following officers were elected: D. J. Arpin president, Herman Finger vice-president and general manager, Wm Scott secretary and treasurer. The new company figure that they have about 125,000,000 of timber on the land they own, which is situated partly in Minnesota and partly in Canada, not far from Lake Superior. The intention of the new company is to buy a sawmill on the Canada side where the timber will be manufactured into lumber. There are mills at both Fort William and Port Arthur and it is probable that the work will be done in one of these towns.

Mr. Scott spent three weeks up in the region where the timber is situated and reports that his trip was a delightful one throughout, the country round about being a network of small lakes and it is possible to travel for miles in these water-ways. Mr. Finger, who will have the management of the new plant for the new company, comes from Eagle River and is a lumberman of many years experience.

### Circuit Court.

At a special term of court held by Judge Webb on Monday the following matters were disposed of:

August Dethart vs. Kate Dethart, Waupaca. Action for divorce, granted.

Salista Styche vs. W. A. Styche, divorce granted. Also from Waupaca.

May Seavers vs. Nichola Seavers, of Portage county. Divorce granted.

Paul Meloch vs Josefina Meloch, of Wood county. Divorce granted.

State of Wisconsin vs. Annie C. Fitz, of Nekoosa, for adultery. Sentenced to one year in Waupun.

State of Wisconsin vs. Martin Glines charged with obtaining goods under false pretenses Given three months in the county jail.

State of Wisconsin vs. Charles Oberst, of Portage county, charged with larceny from person. Sentenced to Waupun for one year.

### Railroad Notes.

The corps of engineers and the survey gang of the Northwestern road were at work near this city yesterday and today. They were making soundings in the river about a mile south of the city, evidently looking for a place to locate a bridge.

Report has it that the owner of the M. & S. E. road has been offered $10,000 a mile for his road but the offer has been refused, he wanting $20,000 per mile. Whether there is any truth in this report we are unable to say.

It is the general opinion of all that the road will be built and that if the M. & S. E. road cannot be bought at a reasonable figure the new road will parallel the old one.

### Manufacturers' Excursion.

This office is in receipt of the itinerary of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' association excursion, which leaves Milwaukee on the 13th of August and stays out until the 23rd. The points touched take in pretty much all the principal towns in northern Wisconsin and Michigan and the party reaches this city Aug. 22, at 11:30 a. m. leaving again at 2 p. m. The party carries both sleeping and dining cars.

### Home from Klondike.

Rube Lyons, who has been at Dawson city during the past three years, returned to this city Tuesday for a three weeks' visit. Mr. Lyons is a clarinet player of no mean ability and it has been with this instrument that he has been making his way during his sojourn in the Klondike region. He reports all of the people from this section to be in good health.

### Bicycles Stolen.

The bicycle thief seems to be getting quite numerous of late. During the past week three wheels have turned up missing, they being the property of Frank Craney, Miss Boyer and Dr. Boorman. So far as known none of the missing wheels have been heard from.

—Dr. J. C. Conniff, Dentist. Office over the Centralia Drug Co.'s store in Daly block, Centralia, Wis.

## BOY FATALLY SHOT.

### WILLIE SEMROW IS THE VICTIM.

**Exact Circumstances of Accident Unknown—No One at Hand When Shooting Occured.**

Willie, the ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Semrow, met with an accident last night which will undoubtedly prove fatal, he having been shot in the face by a twenty-two calibre revolver, the bullet entering at the right side of the nose and lodging in the brain. Although alive at this writing, the physicians in charge of the case consider it only a question of a short time when the little fellow will succumb to his injuries.

Just how the accident happened is not known and may probably always remain a mystery. The story, so far as we can learn, is as follows: Willie the injured boy, went over to his aunt's place, Mrs. Ziemond, and asked for their revolver, which was a small 22-calibre affair. The boy's cousin did not want to give it to him but Willie explained that his older cousin, who was not present, had told him that he might take the weapon and it was handed over to him. About eight o'clock that evening Mr. Waldo, who lives near the Semrow home, was startled by a pistol shot near his house and running out he found Willie lying across the bicycle path bleeding and senseless. He was hurriedly carried home and Drs. Ridgman and Pomainville summoned. The medical men could do nothing for the boy, however, as it was impossible to locate the bullet, which entering close beside the nose had taken a slightly upward course and undoubtedly lodged in the brain. The probe entered the wound for a distance of four inches but nothing could be found of the ball. The only theory that the doctors advance that explains why the boy did not die at once is that the bullet passed through the tissue between the two lobes of the brain and lodged against the back of the brain, thus not injuring the organ as much as it would have done otherwise.

Judging from the position of the wound and the course of the bullet there is little doubt that the boy was looking down the barrel of the weapon when it exploded, he probably not knowing that it was loaded at the time.

### Merry Campers.

A party of young people consisting of the following: Misses Viola Garrison, Maurine and Lona Johnson, Nellie Ward, Eva Jones, Effie Goggins, Ethel Kelley, Mabel McCamley, Jane Durell of Chicago, Kate Walthers of Merrill; Messrs Lee Love, Dr. Csas. Pomainville, E. J. Whitney, Otto Roenius, Theo. Brazeau, W. Fayant, F. Stelb, Donald Ploss of Wausau, chaperoned by Dr. and Mrs. F. Pomainville, are camping this week at Sailor's Rock on the Wisconsin river south of the mouth of Four Mile creek, opposite Port Edwards. The young people are having a jolly time and getting a good healthy color. They are supplied with four boats, one of which is rigged for sailing and is made good use of, the river and wind being favorable for sailing as far down as the Nekoosa dam. Bathing is also one of the numerous pleasures of the party, they being well supplied with bathing suits. The young ladies are doing well in their attempts to swim and can swim as long as they can keep from talking, and some can swim when their feet can't get to the river bed.

The campers were troubled some with mosquitos and lost considerable sleep the first night, but since that time they haven't seen a mosquito and can sleep as well as many a more experienced camper. They are well supplied with good things to eat, as their food, fruit and dainty dishes are sent to them fresh from the different homes, bright and early every morning and they keep a good supply on hand and their friends who drop in to spend a pleasant day are treated right royally by the whole camp.

They experienced a little excitement last Tuesday evening when Dr. Pomainville's horse got loose from where it was staked. A number of boys were sent down from town to help the boys in camp, they found the horse next morning after a diligent search. No harm was done.

The visitors up to the present writing are Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Witter and daughter Inez, Mr. and Mrs. I. Witter, Mrs. W. Scott, Mrs. F. Garrison, Mrs. N. Johnson, the Misses Carolyn Briere, Nannie Ward, and Susan Beeston, Mr. E. B Garrison, Mr. Thompson, Fred Roenius, and Ed. Pomainville.

### Society and Club Notices.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Catholic church will meet in their rooms over Spafford, Cole & Lipke's store every Wednesday afternoon.

St. Katherine's Guild will meet next Friday at 2:30, with Mrs. B. M. Vaughn.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will meet next Wednesday afternoon at the church parlors.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Congregational church will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. J. W. Cochran

The Clover Leaf Club will meet next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Ed. Brazeau.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church of the west side will meet on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Jas. Gibson.

—For Rent.—A cottage in nice situation. Inquire of Mrs E. B. Brundage.

## SCOOPED BY MARSHFIELD.

**The Local Gun Club Beaten by a Score of 132 to 117.**

The Marshfield gun club came down on Monday as per schedule and beat the local club by 15. Eight shot in each club with 25 birds each. Although the time in the city was short, the visiting team reported a good time. Following is the score:

MARSHFIELD.

| | |
|---|---|
| Marsh | 21 |
| Graves | 21 |
| Terry | 12 |
| Bower | 14 |
| Lutterman | 17 |
| Pors | 16 |
| Ames | 21 |
| Wright | 10 |

GRAND RAPIDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Scott | 16 |
| Gothke | 16 |
| Lyons | 16 |
| Conway | 11 |
| Stearns | 18 |
| Gothke, O | 16 |
| Yonke | 18 |
| Nash, L. M | 6 |

A return shoot will be held at Marshfield on Thursday, August 16th.

### Sunday's Ball Game.

The baseball game on Sunday resulted in a victory for Stevens Point by a score of 14 to 4. It was a slow game and seemed to be an off day for the home boys as they did not play with anything like their usual vigor and the game was lost more through poor playing by them than by any good playing done by the visitors. The home boys labor under the disadvantage of having a new lot of players each time who have never practiced together.


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|---|---|
| $1.50 Colored Shoes and Oxfords | $1.18 |
| 1.75 | 1.32 |
| 2.00 | 1.58 |
| 2.25 | 1.82 |
| 2.50 | 1.98 |
| 3.00 | 2.48 |
| 3.50 | 2.88 |
| 4.00 | 3.15 |
| 4.50 | 3.48 |
| 5.00 | 3.65 |

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## OOM PAUL GIVES UP.

**President Kruger Said to be Willing and Anxious to Surrender.**

Pretoria, Monday, Aug. 6.—It is stated positively that President Kruger is willing and anxious to surrender, provided a satisfactory promise is given as to his ultimate destination.

**British Take Harrismith.**

London, Aug. 7.—Lord Roberts reports to the war office under date of Pretoria, August 6, as follows:

"Harrismith surrendered on August 4. The neighboring country seems to be quiet. Kitchener is with the force south of the Vaal river. He was joined yesterday by a strong detachment of Brabant's Horse and the Canadian regiment.

"The Boers attacked the garrison at Elands river on the morning of August 4. Information was sent to Carrington, who was on the way to Elands river. Ian Hamilton, who reached Rustenburg yesterday, reported hearing heavy firing in the direction of Elands river.

"Today the firing seems more distant, which looks as if the Elands river garrison had been relieved and was retiring towards Zerust."

**Communication Restored.**

Cape Town, Aug. 7.—Railway communication with Natal has been re-established by Gen. MacDonald's capture of Harrismith.

Heavy fighting at Elands river commenced on Sunday and continued Monday. No details are obtained, but it is believed that Gen. Carrington and Gen. Ian Hamilton relieved the garrison at Rustenburg, which is retiring to Zerust.

**Many Burgher Desertions.**

London, Aug. 7.—A Lourenco Marques correspondent of the Daily Telegraph states that a Frenchman just returned from the Boer front confirms the telegrams which have been received during the last few days describing the pitiable character of the Boer position.

Gen. Botha's commando, originally 750, now consists of only 63, and other commandoes have been reduced in like proportion owing to desertions. The remaining burghers have divided into two parties, one for peace and the other for war. The peace party is the stronger.

## FATE OF THE REPUBLICS.

**Monarchical Government, Supported by Military Force.**

London, Aug. 7.—The secretary of state for the colonies, Mr. Chamberlain, in reply to a question in the house of commons today, said he had already made himself acquainted with the views of Canada and Australia, in regard to the main points of the South African settlement. He added that they were completely in accord with her majesty's government as to the necessity for the annexation of Orange Free State and the Transvaal to the British empire and the establishment of a government, supported by a military force, with the ultimate extension of representative self-government.

## THREE LIVES LOST.

**Engineer and Two Firemen Killed and Four Seriously and Seven Slightly Injured.**

Lafayette, Ind., Aug. 7.—Three persons were killed and a number injured at an early hour this morning by the collision of a passenger train with a freight engine and caboose on the Monon railroad near South Raub, ten miles south of this city.

The freight engine was awaiting the passage of the passenger train on a side-track. The passenger was running at the rate of twenty-five miles an hour when the crash came. The killed:

LEWIS RAUB, Lafayette, freight engineer.
THOMAS CRAFT, Lafayette, freight fireman.
JOSEPH HUDLOW, Lafayette, passenger fireman.

Seriously injured:
Henry W. Whitsell of Lafayette, passenger, who will die from scalding.
Eugene McCool of Lafayette, freight brakeman, hip crushed.
Stephen F. Riely, Chicago, traveling man, hip hurt.
W. N. Tyson of Crawfordsville, left leg hurt.

Slightly injured:
J. F. Pope of Williamsport.
Mrs. Daniel Schrader of New Albany.
Charles Davis of Crawfordsville.
Daniel Schrader of New Albany.
C. H. Callahan of Bloomington, freight conductor.
Victor Belcher, freight brakeman.
Mrs. Louis Woodson of Chicago.

## A BOY WITH A GUN.

**Youth of 12 Holds Sheriff at Bay—Latter Makes Arrest Later.**

Santa Fe, N. M., Aug. 7.—Sheriff C. F. Blackington found himself balked by a 12-year-old boy yesterday. A couple of youngsters broke into a freight car at Magdalena and were detected. The sheriff arrived and one of the boys fled, but the other, Fred Barnett, stood in the car door with a Winchester in his hands and calmly ordered the sheriff to leave. This the latter did, but later surrounded the car with a posse and captured the youthful desperado.

## GERMANY TO LEAD IN PRIZES.

**Theodor Wolf Says It will Win the Honors at the Paris Fair.**

Berlin, Aug. 7.—Theodor Wolf wires to the Berliner Tageblatt from Paris that Germany will get more first prizes at the exposition than any other nation. He estimates the number at 250. Germany will be first in industrial arts, with twenty grands prix and 100 gold medals.

## CYCLONE IN GREAT BRITAIN.

**Loss of Life on Both Land and Sea Are Reported.**

London, Aug. 7.—A regular cyclone has prevailed throughout the United Kingdom since early last evening. Loss of life on land and sea and the destruction of shipping and other property are reported.

**Chinese Conservatism.**

Chinese prejudice never disappears before the light, but it is daily being broken down by its own weight under external pressure. In years to come even the horrors of the Pekin cart may be discarded by foreign residents in favor of the foreign rickshaw, but this depends more on the mending of the Chinese roads than on the mending of Chinese manners.—London Telegraph.

—The first Democratic national convention was held in 1832, and was presided over by Gen. Lucas of Ohio, after whom Lucas county in that state was named.

# HAY REPLIES TO CONGER.

**Secretary Advises Him that Relief Column is Approaching.**

## NEAR AN ULTIMATUM.

**Chinese Offer of Safe Conduct to Tien Tsin Rejected—To Leave Pekin Means Death.**

Washington, D. C., Aug. 8.—Secretary Root said this afternoon that a message had been delivered to Minister Wu saying that free communication had not been established between this government and its minister in China, and therefore the demands made in the President's reply to the Emperor had not been acceded to.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 8.—A reply has been sent to Minister Conger by the state department to the message received from him late yesterday. It advises him of the approach of the relief column and exhorts him to be of good cheer. The dispatch was sent direct to Minister Conger at Pekin and a duplicate of it to Consul-Gen. Goodnow at Shanghai. Goodnow was directed to spare no pains or expense to get the message to Minister Conger.

The Chinese minister has received a copy of the imperial edict of August 2, which was delayed in transmission. It directs the safe escort of the foreigners to Tien Tsin and assigns Jung Lu to select efficient officials to give this safe conduct.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 8.—As a result of the conference last night between the President, Acting Secretary of State Adee, Secretary Root and Gen. Corbin, a cablegram was sent early this morning to Consul-General Goodnow, including a copy of the dispatch from Minister Conger and advising him of the situation as it is understood here. He was directed to communicate this to Earl Li Hung Chang, to Sheng and to such viceroys as can transmit it to whatever government there is in the Chinese empire. This cable contained what is said to be a very emphatic statement of the position of this government and saying that action is immediately necessary. While it is not, strictly speaking, an ultimatum, it is very close to it.

The government officials here regard the situation as very dangerous to Minister Conger and other foreigners in Pekin, and grave doubt is expressed whether the international forces can reach Pekin in time to rescue the ministers.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 8.—The navy department has received the following cablegram from Admiral Remey, dated Chefoo, August 8:

"Chaffee reports that the Japanese took Peitsang on the morning of the 5th; engagement over before the Americans arrived. Movement probably continued to Yang Tsun. Inform secretary of war."

London, Aug. 8.—The British consul at Tien Tsin, under date of Monday, August 6, announces that the Chinese have been expelled from Peitsang and that they are in full retreat.

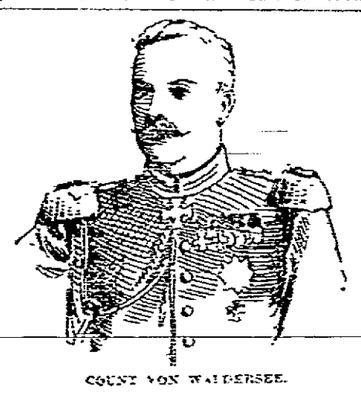
St. Petersburg, Aug. 8.—War office telegrams received here from Eastern Siberia show the Chinese have destroyed the railroad in several places, interrupting the passage of through trains. Repairs are proceeding. The Cossacks now guard 2000 versts of the frontier railroad.

## COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

**Count Von Waldersee Said to Have Been Appointed.**

Cologne, Aug. 8.—The Cologne Gazette's Berlin correspondent states that he has it from an authoritative source that Field Marshal Count von Waldersee has been appointed commander-in-chief of the allied troops in China.

Count von Waldersee has been prominently identified with high military circles in Germany. Under the old Emperor Frederick he was removed from



COUNT VON WALDERSEE.

the German general staff to be assigned the command of a corps, and semi-official papers at that time made serious charges of intrigue against him. He was also at one time in difficulty with Gen. von Caprivi concerning the duties of the war minister, but this was overshadowed by the secrecy which prevails in military circles. The countess was the daughter of a former Brooklyn grocer.

## UNDER RIFLE FIRE.

**British Foreign Office Receives Dispatch from Minister McDonald.**

London, Aug. 8.—In the House of Commons today Mr. Broderick, parliamentary secretary for the foreign office, read a telegram from Sir Claude MacDonald, British minister to China, received in cipher at the foreign office this morning. The dispatch was in reply to a government message and bore date of Pekin, August 3. It was as follows:

"I have today received your cipher telegram forwarded to me by the Chinese minister. The shell and cannon fire ceased on July 16, but the rifle fire has continued from the Chinese positions held by government troops and Boxers intermittently ever since. The casualties since then have been slight. Except one private of marines all the wounded are doing well, including the whole garrison.

"The total of killed is 60 and of wounded 110. We have strengthened our fortifications. We have over 200 women and children refugees in the legation. The Chinese government has refused transmission to telegrams in cipher until now."

Mr. Broderick also read the following dispatch from Admiral Bruce, filed at Chefoo August 6:

"The allies, about 12,000 strong, attacked the Chinese entrenched position at Heiku, about two miles outside Tien Tsin early this morning. The Chinese were driven out and retired northward, pursued by the allies, who occupied Peitsang. Transports followed up the troops. By road and river the advance upon Pekin has been begun."

This dispatch does not give the date of leaving Tien Tsin.

Mr. Broderick said he thought the messages were, on the whole, satisfactory. The country understood the policy of her majesty's government in regard to China, which was to carry on with absolute firmness and determination the measures taken to preserve the country's interests.

**From the German Legation.**

Berlin, Aug. 8.—The foreign office has received the following dispatch from Herr Bellow, first secretary of the German legation at Pekin, dated Tsin-An:

"Since July 21, the situation has not changed. There has been neither attacks by the troops en masse upon us, nor shell fire, only desultory rifle fire. The health of the members of the legation is comparatively good. The wounded are progressing."

## MESSAGE FROM CONGER.

**Minister Asks for Relief at the Earliest Possible Moment.**

Washington, D. C., Aug. 8.—The following cablegram from Minister Conger was received last night by the state department:

Taiyuan Yamen, Aug. 7.—To Secretary of State: Still besieged. Situation more precarious. Chinese government insisting upon our leaving Pekin, which would be certain death. Rifle firing upon us daily by imperial troops. Have abundant courage, but little ammunition or provisions. Two progressive yamen ministers beheaded. All connected with legation of the United States well at the present moment. CONGER.

The above message proves conclusively that not only are the imperial troops again attacking the international representatives at Pekin, but the Chinese government is actually conniving to bring about their assassination.

The message was telephoned to the President. Though no action has been taken yet, it is stated on excellent authority that the United States is nearer declaring war on China at this moment than it has been since the ministers were cut off from communication with the capitals of the world.

**The Government at Fault.**

Though the authorities have had every reason to believe that the Chinese government is responsible for the present condition of affairs that prevails, it has apparently believed the polite fiction that a mob was in control in Pekin and that the imperial government was unable to regain control. Minister Conger's dispatch entirely dissipates any such belief.

Taken in conjunction with previous information received by the authorities there can be no longer any doubt that the Chinese government is directly responsible for the existing situation. It is reiterated with emphasis that the President proposes to hold that government to strict accountability for the occurrences in Pekin.

**Question of Calling Congress.**

Strongly adverse as the administration is to calling Congress together for the purpose of making a formal declaration of war, it is nevertheless a fact that the officials have come to the conclusion that they have ample ground for such action in case it is deemed advisable. At the same time the question of policy necessarily must be considered, and as there is nothing to be gained by a formal declaration, but instead the precipitation of additional complications, it is unlikely that the President will adopt such a course.

While some members of the cabinet desire a declaration of war, at least one frowns upon the suggestion, and he said that he does not see how the Conger message changes the situation. Of course proof of the duplicity of the Chinese government is furnished, but because China is making war upon the United States and other powers it does not necessarily follow that this government and others must declare war on her. A diplomat who spoke of this phase of the Chinese situation said he did not doubt that the powers will term the trouble a state of reprisals and in this way avoid the complications of war.

**Certain Death for Diplomats.**

Minister Conger's statement that it would be certain death for the ministers to leave Pekin confirms the belief of the members of the cabinet. Secretary Hay's principal reason for refusing under any circumstances to consent to any arrangement for escorting the ministers from Pekin until they could be consulted with was grounded on the fear that conditions were just as they are shown to be by Minister Conger's dispatch. It fully justifies the firm stand which the secretary took, and his emphatic declarations to Minister Wu, and, through Consul-General Goodnow, to Li Hung Chang, that no arrangement could be entered into looking to the delivery of the ministers at Tien Tsin until the governments had been put into full communication with them.

## AN INTERVIEW WITH WU.

**Hopes Conger Message will Not be Distorted or Exaggerated.**

Washington, D. C., Aug. 8.—After a brief respite at the seashore, the Chinese minister was again busy today at the Chinese legation. He made an early visit to the state department delivering the edict of August 2, which had been delayed en route, directing Jung Lu to select high officials to escort the foreign ministers from Pekin to Tien Tsin.

Minister Wu showed the utmost concern in the seriousness of the situation. As to the message from Minister Conger he said:

"It is not for me to discuss the Conger telegram, as it speaks for itself, but at such a moment I hope a distorted and exaggerated interpretation will not be placed on the message. Its seriousness I do not question, but I ask the public to take what it says and not draw inferences as to its meaning. It is dated at the Tsi Nan Yamen, which is the yamen of the governor of Shan Tung. It is forwarded direct from the governor to the state department, showing the efforts our officials are making to get through messages between Washington and Pekin. Again, it is in cipher, which shows that there is free communication despite all the statements and criticisms that this free communication was cut off. Mr. Conger's statement that the Chinese government insists upon our leaving Pekin disposes of another story that the government was holding the ministers as hostages. On the contrary it urges them to go and offers an escort to conduct them. Whether it is safe or not, is a matter of individual judgment, and Mr. Conger appears to regard it as unsafe. But I do not care to go further into the details of the message as I do not wish to be in the position of an apologist."

## HARD WORK AHEAD.

**Relief of the Pekin Legations to be No Easy Task.**

London, Aug. 8.—The Chinese have learned to fight. That much is gleaned from the scant accounts of the battle at Peitsang. It is becoming more evident daily that the relief of the Pekin legations will be no easy task. At Peitsang the Chinese fortifications showed great engineering skill, while the army, to quote the British correspondents, used the Boer tactics that proved so effective against the English troops in Africa.

The Daily Express correspondent from Tien Tsin thus describes the battle of Peitsang:

"On Sunday the Chinese were massed in great force on the outskirts and on both banks of the river. The British, Russian and Japanese troops opened fire on the enemy's position with four batteries, and did great execution. It was not, however, until 10 o'clock that the allies succeeded in driving the Chinese from the first position. After fighting desperately for two hours the enemy commenced to retreat. They made way in good order across the bridge spanning the river, which they blew up behind them.

"A large body of Japanese troops waded the stream exposed to a heavy cross-fire and lost heavily, but during the onslaught precipitated the full retreat of the Chinese.

"The Russians sustained severe casualties. The British force lost sixty. The allies' total losses are estimated at from 650 to 1000.

"The military experts agree that the enemy's position has been admirably chosen and well defended, and it is believed the whole line of the advance to Pekin is similarly defended and that the Chinese will hotly contest every mile.

**Dictum of Li Hung Chang.**

"In case the troops advance the Chinese must fight. The suggestion that the allies should be allowed to enter Pekin in order to escort the ministers to Tien Tsin is absolutely impossible."

This is the dictum of Li Hung Chang. It was transmitted last evening to William Pritchard Morgan, member of Parliament for Merthyr Tydvil by his agent at Shanghai. The agent had carried to Earl Li a message from Mr. Morgan urging that the allied troops be allowed to enter the capital, and saying that a settlement could be made at Tien Tsin.

**Li Hung Chang Seeks Throne.**

It is reported in Shanghai that the notorious Li Ping Heng has been appointed generalissimo of the Chinese army and has left Pekin to command the forces in the field.

It is considered in some quarters of London that Li Hung Chang's denunciation of Li Ping Heng is a step in the wily statesman's plan to become the Emperor of China when the allies restore order. It is declared that his refusal to go to Pekin is tantamount to severing all relations with the present dominant power, and he expects Europe will reward his friendliness by placing him on the Chinese throne.

**MacArthur May Send Troops.**

Washington, D. C., Aug. 8.—Secretary Root held a lengthy conference with Acting Secretary Adee in the state department after the visit of the Chinese minister. At its conclusion Mr. Root said that the situation was unchanged so far as the war department is concerned. It is understood that, acting on a precautionary message addressed him some time ago, Gen. MacArthur has so arranged matters in Luzon as to have a considerable body of troops on which he can draw in an emergency to reinforce the international column in China.

**Chinese Cut River Bank.**

Chefoo, Aug. 8.—The Russians have gone out to a village east of Peitsang, where the Chinese are strongly intrenched. The Japanese came in touch with the Chinese outposts Sunday.

Boats have been sunk in the Pei-Ho to hinder progress, while the river bank has been cut, flooding the country to the east.

The Chinese have mined the railway and filled the river with torpedoes. They have three large guns and many smaller ones at Peitsang.

**Escaped in a Coffin.**

Hong Kong, Aug. 8.—Missionaries arrived here from the provinces of Hunan give reports of terrible suffering and privations endured there. In escaping one of them was carried 400 miles in a coffin, the Chinese, out of the veneration for the dead, not insisting on a close scrutiny.

**Looting of Missions.**

Hong Kong, Aug. 8.—News has been received from Swatow, reporting the looting of American missions. Missionaries who have arrived here from the Tonkin district says that the mandarins announce they cannot guarantee protection should European warships enter the river.

## ARREST LI HUNG CHANG.

**England May Take a Hand in Game of Holding Hostages.**

London, Aug. 8.—There is a strong feeling in some quarters here, and expression was given to it in the House of Commons, that a beginning should be made in the game of taking hostages from the Chinese by the immediate arrest of Li Hung Chang. On the other hand, it is said that Li is himself now an object of suspicion and dislike to the fanatical anti-foreign party, of which Li Ping Hong is the chief, and that his seizure would therefore produce little effect on the Manchu clique at Pekin. It might even do more harm than good, since it might alarm and discourage the southern and central viceroys, who have held aloof from the extreme faction at the capital, and have shown an inclination to protect the foreigners if they are certain of European support. The foreign office, while profoundly distrusting Li Hung Chang, is anxious to work with the governors of the Yang Tse provinces as long as possible.

Whatever may happen in North China, the British government is determined to act with vigor in the central region. The two additional Indian brigades which have been ordered to be mobilized at once will both, in all probability, disembark at the mouth of the Yang Tse Kiang. The second of these brigades will include a contingent of what is called imperial service troops, by which is meant the regiments drilled and organized by English officers, but maintained by native Indian feudatory princes. It is significant that the detachments now ordered from India consist entirely of Asiatic troops. The British garrison has been already so seriously depleted that it is not considered safe to diminish it further for the present.

## EDICT OF EMPEROR.

**Declare a Willingness to Give Ministers Safe Conduct to Tien Tsin.**

Washington, D. C., Aug. 8.—The Chinese minister visited the state department today and transmitted to this government the following edict:

An imperial edict of the 8th day of the seventh moon (August 2, 1900) transmitted by Viceroy Li Hung Chang, Viceroy Liu Kun Yi and Director General Sheng, under date of August 4, 1900, to Minister Yang at St. Petersburg, and retransmitted by the latter, under date of August 7, and received by Minister Wu on the evening of the last-named date. It is as follows:

Li Hung Chang and Liu Kun Yi, in response to their joint memorial proposing the sending of the foreign ministers to Tien Tsin, received on the 5th instant (August 2) the following imperial edict:

Throughout the disturbances recently caused by our subjects on account of Christian missions, which have resulted in a conflict of forces, it has been found necessary to afford protection to all the foreign ministers in Pekin. On repeated occasions the tsung li yamen sent notes inquiring after their welfare. And as Pekin has not yet been restored to order, and precautionary measures may not secure absolute safety, the foreigner ministers are being consulted as to the proposed plan of detailing troops to escort them safely to Tien Tsin for temporary shelter, so that they may be free from apprehensive anxiety or fear.

We hereby command Jung Lu to appoint, as a preliminary step, trustworthy high civil and military officials who, together with reliable and efficient troops, shall, at such time as the foreign ministers may agree upon for leaving Pekin, escort and protect them throughout their journey. Should lawless characters manifest evil designs upon the ministers or attempt to rob them or in any way create trouble, they (the high officials) shall at once repress them without fail.

If the foreign ministers, before leaving Pekin, should desire to communicate with their respective governments, and if their telegraphic messages should be in plain language, the tsung li yamen shall at once attend to them without the least delay, thus manifesting the utmost friendliness of the imperial government. Respect this.

# LA FOLLETTE IS NAMED.

**Nominated by the Republicans for Governor.**

## TEXT OF THE PLATFORM

**Gen. George E. Bryant Succeeds Joseph B. Treat as State Chairman.**

Milwaukee, Wis., Aug. 8.—The Republican state convention met in the Exposition at noon.

The great hall presented a most animated appearance. The weather was terrifically warm and the delegates took off coats and vests and put handkerchiefs inside their collars and plied fans vigorously. The present state officials, with the exception of governor, were to be renominated.

Gen. George E. Bryant of Madison was chosen chairman of the state central committee. He was agreed upon last evening at a conference of party leaders, including Mr. La Follette and Mr. Babcock. All the persons who had been suggested for the place were talked over. There was some objection to each one. Mr. Babcock suggested the name of Gen. Bryant. It was regarded as an effort to compromise. Someone asked if Bryant's health would permit his accepting the place. Mr. La Follette stated that he knew positively that the general's health would permit his undertaking the duties. This was regarded as an acceptance of the compromise and all resolutions were tabled and the conference adjourned without action, but with a well-understood plan.

Gen. Bryant placed Mr. La Follette in nomination. He is an old and rugged man, a lawyer of Madison who has taken a prominent part in politics for several years and is one of Mr. La Follette's best friends. H. C. Adams, the dairy and food commissioner, was the temporary chairman of the convention and made the opening speech.

The hall was elaborately decorated. There were 1067 delegates, and a large number of visitors present who sat in the chairs reserved for them behind the delegates' seats. The hot weather and the lack of any sharp contest precluded any great show of enthusiasm. Harmony reigned supreme.

The candidates to be nominated for the offices besides governor were as follows:

Lieutenant-Governor—Jesse Stone of Watertown.

Secretary of State—William H. Froehlich of Jackson.

State Treasurer—James O. Davidson of Soldiers' Grove.

Attorney-General—Emmet R. Hicks of Oshkosh.

State Superintendent—Lorenzo D. Harger of Milwaukee.

Railroad Commissioner—Graham L. Rice of West Superior.

Insurance Commissioner—Emil Giljeham of Milwaukee.

All of these gentlemen hold these positions at present, having served one term and being candidates for a second.

**The Platform.**

The platform as adopted is as follows:

The Republicans of Wisconsin, in convention assembled, heartily endorse the Republican platform adopted at Philadelphia, and pledge their enthusiastic support to the Republican candidates for President and Vice-President.

We endorse the national administration of William McKinley, and the work of our able senators and representatives in Congress.

We endorse the administration of Gov. Scofield, and the other present state officers as clean, capable and businesslike, and heartily commend its efforts towards carrying out the pledges of the Republican state platform adopted by the convention of 1898.

The great reformation effected in our general elections through the Australian ballot inspires us with confidence to apply the same method in making nominations so that every voter may exercise his sovereign right of choice by direct vote without the intervention of interference of any political agency. We therefore demand that caucuses and conventions for the nomination of candidates for office be abolished by legislative enactment, and that all candidates for state, legislative, congressional and county officers be nominated at primary election upon the same day by direct vote under the Australian ballot.

The establishment by the last Republican Legislature of a state tax commission for the purpose of an exhaustive investigation of the complicated questions of taxation, was in accord with principles of sound public policy. This commission will be able to present the fact essential as a basis to sound legislative judgment, and to the enactment of such laws as may be necessary to compel each individual and every corporation transacting business within the state—except such fraternal and other associations as are now expressly exempted from taxation by law—to bear a justly proportionate share of the burden of taxation. To the immediate accomplishment of this end the Republican party of Wisconsin stands pledged.

The growth and development of business and commercial affairs require of necessity large aggregations of capital. Great enterprises may be honestly and fairly conducted with legitimate profits to investment and substantial good to the community; but combinations and trusts that destroy competition, restrain trade and create monopolies should be prohibited by law, and we demand the enactment of such legislation, state and national, as shall render these abuses impossible.

We heartily endorse the action of the last Legislature on the pass question, and demand that the next Legislature take such further action as shall be necessary to submit the constitutional amendment proposed and passed at the last session of the Legislature to a vote of the people for final ratification.

We approve the action of the last Legislature in imposing strict regulations upon lobbying at the state capitol, and demand such further legislation as shall restrict the lobby to legitimate argument before legislative committees.

We demand the enactment and enforcement of laws making character and competency requisites for service in our penal and charitable institutions.

We believe that the demand for better highways made by the farmers of Wisconsin should be encouraged by the state as favoring an improvement of great practical value for agricultural interests.

We pledge the party to an economical administration of public affairs, reducing all expenditures to a business basis.

Besides the platform the following resolution was recommended:

We record our high appreciation of the pronounced ability, invaluable public services, sound Republicanism and devotion to the national administration of John C. Spooner. We receive the announcement of his fixed determination to retire from official and public life, and especially of the cause for such determination, with profound regret.

## VERY CLOSE TO DEATH.

**Workman Badly Injured by Falling Timber at Lake Mills.**

Lake Mills, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special.]—Will H. Drake came very near getting killed by a falling timber in tearing down the Methodist church of this place. The timber just missed his head, striking him on the leg. He was badly injured.

The First Methodist church of this place is undergoing large improvements.

## WOMAN LOST IN WOODS.

**Wanders Away from Her Home and Cannot be Found.**

Lima Center, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special.]—On Saturday last Mrs. William Garlock, wife of the buttermaker in the Harvey Godfry factory, north of town, wandered away into the woods. Searching parties each day have been unable to find any trace of her. It is thought that Mrs. Garlock has become insane.

## QUEEN'S SPEECH.

**Victoria Says There will be Suitable Punishment for Chinese Atrocities.**

London, Aug. 8.—Parliament adjourned today after the appropriation bill had been passed by both Houses.

The Queen's speech at the proroguing of Parliament after stating that the relations with the powers of Europe and America continue friendly and a reference to the establishment of the commonwealth of Australia, refers to the war in South Africa, "which has placed in the strongest light the heroism and high military qualities of the troops brought together under my banner from this country, from Canada, Australia and my South African possessions."

The speech then says: "Believing the continued independence of the republics to be a constant danger to the peace of South Africa, I authorized the annexation of the Free State as a first step to the union of the races under an institution which may in time be developed so as to secure equal rights and privileges in South Africa."

Referring to China, the speech from the throne says: "The British and other legations at Pekin have been unexpectedly attacked by an insurgent mob, and it is feared many of their inmates have been murdered. How far the Chinese authorities are accomplices in this atrocious crime, and whether the British minister and his family are among the victims, are matters still in some uncertainty. The utmost efforts will be made by myself and my allies will visit with worthy punishment the authors of this unexampled crime."

After a reference to the Ashanti rising, the speech devotes a few words to the distress caused by the famine and plague in India and thanks the Commons for the liberality with which they responded to the unusual financial demands due to the war, and adds that the satisfactory progress of the campaign gives fair ground for hoping that the excessive requirements of military expenditure will soon be abated.

The speech closes with the usual reference to the sessions of legislation.

The closing hours of the session in the House of Commons were enlivened by the sharp replies of the secretary of state for the colonies, Mr. Chamberlain, to his political critics.

An innovation in the Queen's speech which caused some comment was the mentioning of America specifically. The speeches from the throne usually allude to the powers generally or to the European powers.

## WYNDHAM IS CAUTIOUS.

**Not Ready to Fix Date of Close of the South African War.**

London, Aug. 8.—With all the trouble in China on hand, there is more impatience than ever to be quit of the Boer war so as to enable Lord Roberts to spare an army corps, or a division at least, for China, but the end is not yet reached. When questioned on the subject in the House of Commons, Mr. Wyndham cautiously declined to fix a date for the close of the operations.

The war office has received a dispatch from Lord Roberts announcing that Harrismith had surrendered to Gen. MacDonald, so that through railway communication is now re-established between Natal and the Orange River colony. Another telegram from the commander-in-chief shows that Frederick Carrington, with his mounted infantry from Rhodesia, is now in touch with the Boers in the center of the Transvaal.

At the same time the guerrilla war goes on, and while Gen. Dewet is still at large small parties of Gen. Botha's men are harassing the outposts, capturing stores and driving in patrols in the vicinity of Pretoria itself.

London, Aug. 8.—The following dispatch from Lord Roberts has been received at the war office:

"As Warren has pacified the Western districts of Cape Colony, I am allowing him to return home and am replacing the whole of the troops in the colony under Forestier-Walker."

## AERONAUT DROPS TO DEATH.

**Slips from His Trapeze in Michigan and is Instantly Killed.**

Holland, Mich., Aug. 8.—John Drew of Grand Rapids, Mich., an aeronaut 19 years old, was instantly killed at Macatawa, Mich., while trying to make a parachute drop into Lake Michigan. Great crowds on both sides of the bay witnessed the ascent of the balloon to a height of 500 or 600 feet, and all agree that when Drew cut the parachute loose it became twisted or momentarily entangled, and the sudden fall unclasped his hands from the trapeze bar, to which he had neglected to attach his safety belt. He struck in shallow water in Black lake, two rods from Macatawa shore, and was dead when his body was recovered by the lifesaving crew. His ribs were crushed and the body otherwise bruised.

## INSURANCE COMPANY PAYS UP

**Mrs. Hillmon-Smith Receives $22,000 After Twenty-One Years.**

Leavenworth, Kas., Aug. 8.—The Mutual Life Insurance company of New York had settled its case with Mrs. Sallie E. Hillmon-Smith by paying $22,000 cash. This is the second of the three original defendant companies to settle, leaving the Connecticut Mutual still holding out. The case has been in the courts for twenty-one years and has had six trials.

About ten days ago a writ of execution was issued against the insurance company and placed in the hands of the United States marshal to levy on the property of the company in this city. Shortly after the writ was issued J. C. Allen, counsel for the company, arrived and opened negotiations for a settlement.

## BOTH WERE KILLED.

**Remarkable Marksmanship of a Pair of Duellists in Florida.**

Pensacola, Fla., Aug. 8.—A duel in which both participants were killed took place at Grand Ridge, Jackson county, this state. A negro desperado named Washington, who was wanted by the authorities for several offenses, had armed himself and swaggered through the town during the forenoon defying arrest, when Kelly Sullivan, a private citizen, volunteered to arrest him. A warrant was placed in Sullivan's hands, whereupon he approached the negro, when the latter drew his pistol and fired. Sullivan, anticipating the negro's intention, also drew and fired. Both shots, which were nearly simultaneous, took effect. Both men fell and shortly thereafter expired.

**Choate as Arbitrator.**

London, Aug. 8.—United States Ambassador Choate has been appointed arbitrator between the British and Chinese governments and in the case of the sinking of the British dispatch boat Kow Shing during the Chino-Japanese war.

The Kow Shing, Capt. Gatsworthy, while convoying Chinese troops, was attacked by Japanes warships and sunk off Asan July 25, 1894. Capt. Gatsworthy escaped to the Japanese, but many were killed.

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# Captain Brabazon

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A Military Romance of South Africa

CHAPTER XXIII.—(Continued.)

The door of the drawing room was blocked and they hung outside for a considerable time, like a couple of Peris at the gate. At last they gradually succeeded in edging their way in, and found an immense, long room with seats all down the center, and an impromptu stage at the further end; immediately facing the audience was a huge picture frame filled in with curtains, which, when parted, revealed some scenes. Just at the present moment there was a dead silence, a cessation of whispering and laughing, as the curtains slowly parted and revealed "Helen of Troy," a tall, white-robed, golden-diademed form, thrown out by a dusky background. The present personator was beautiful enough to represent the Spartan Queen whose face had launched a thousand ships. The audience gazed at the lovely living picture for some time in appreciative silence, then, as the curtain gradually hid her from their gaze, they burst into long and hearty applause. The tableau was over, the people began to talk, to look about, and finally to move, and a great wave of human faces was soon set toward the door, seeing which our two friends retreated and sought sanctuary, with other belated folk, in a fern-embowered alcove on the stairs, from which coign of cantage they could see the whole company file past in double review order.

"We will have to go and make our bow to Mrs. Bohun before we follow the multitude," said Captain Gee; "and this gives one a splendid chance of seeing who is here," indicating with a jerk of his head the stream of people now pouring out of the doorway. "Look at that lady with the long neck and big eyes; she is thought a great beauty. She's not my style," superciliously. "Do you see those two coming out? They are American heiresses. And that's a very pretty girl in black, behind the big woman in red satin. Here she is. What do you think of her? There's nothing like England, home and beauty, eh? Here she comes! Now," enforcing his remark with a sharp nudge.

Miles obediently looked as he was bidden, and saw within two steps of him on the crowded staircase a girl in black, carrying an enormous white bouquet, arm-in-arm with a ruddy-faced young man, who was talking to her with eager empressement. She was listening with a smile, her gaze bent on the ground. A block in front compelled them to halt, and, raising her eyes, Esme found herself once more face to face with her faithless Cousin Miles. And it would be hard to say which was the paler of the two. This sudden meeting was a shock to both. Each saw in the other the embodiment of two years' tribulation—standing within two feet.

Esme was certainly the most startled. She had been thinking of Miles as far away in South Africa, among the Boers and Kaffirs, and to come upon him quite unexpectedly in a crowd on a London lobby nearly turned her to stone. She was so overwhelmed with astonishment that she stared vacantly at him without any token of recognition, and in another moment, pressed forward by the crowd, she had passed downstairs.

Captain Gee, who had been looking at her with all the power of his keen, little, light eyes, was amazed at the instantaneous alteration her face had undergone. The soft curves about her smiling lips, and her lovely color had disappeared as if by magic, and left instead a rigid expression and a deathlike pallor. Was she going to faint? Who or what had been the cause of this electrical effect? He glanced involuntarily at his friend, and beheld the same extraordinary change reflected in his countenance. The look of easy, careless indifference had given place to one of proud immobility; and yet he was pale, even through his African tan. What ailed him? What ailed her? The secret was revealed to him in one flash—he was generally very successful in jumping to conclusions—the girl in black was Esme, poor Teddy's sister, Miles' forsaken bride!

Before he had time to put his thoughts into the form of a question a very piquant, little, dark lady, clad in primrose tulle and blazing with diamonds, had paused in front of his companion, with a stifled exclamation, and, holding out her hand very eagerly, exclaimed:

"Why, Miles! It is Miles! Who on earth would have expected to find you here? How very rude of you not to come and see me. Pray, where have you dropped from?"

"From South Africa this morning," he returned laconically, and now with completely restored self-possession.

"Mr. Trent," said Gussie, sweetly, now turning to her cavalier, and withdrawing her hand from his arm with affected reluctance, "this is my cousin, whom I've not seen for ages, just home from the Cape. If you don't mind I'll go down with him," and, with a charming smile Mr. Trent was coolly dismissed, and Miles before he had time to realize the fact found himself walking downstairs arm-in-arm with Gussie, leaving Captain Gee glaring after them with an expression of indignant amazement, and muttering angry ejaculation sunder his little sandy mustache.

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Mr. Hepburn was by no means a stupid young man, and he had not failed to notice his partner's violent start, her sudden silence, and her sinking color. In his own mind he attributed these symptoms to a dark, soldierly looking fellow they had passed on the stairs. Her faint request for a glass of water, the shaking flowers in her hand, all indicated some unusual and painful agitation; for Miss Esme was a serene, self-possessed young lady, and not given to demonstrations. He had known that his case was quite hopeless, and, strange and uncommon as it may appear, was content, at any rate resigned, to range himself as friend. If he had wanted further testimony that her heart could never be his, it had now been meted out to him abundantly.

"Esme, come here!" cried the tactless, the reckless Augusta, who considered it a good thing to get this meeting over, and was fully resolved that it should take place in her presence. "She would not miss it for anything," she told herself, emphatically; and it was best to put everything on a comfortable footing once for all. "Don't you see Miles? He only arrived to-day!" pointing to him with her fan.

Of course Esme saw Miles; she was not blind. She put out her hand very promptly, and said, in a cool, civil tone of voice:

"How do you do, Miles?" meeting her late lover's troubled gaze with the utmost composure.

He uttered something inaudible. He was not nearly as self-possessed as the young lady; but then she had been schooling herself for this ordeal, and she would sooner die than allow her faithless cousin to imagine that he was anything to her now but the most indifferent acquaintance.

Mr. Hepburn and Gussie gazed with eager interest at this little drama in real life. It was a tableau vivant not included in the program; one at which they were the only spectators, although the room was crowded; none but they knew that the couple before them had not met since the eve of what was to have been their wedding day! They seemed like the rest of the company to the casual, careless eye—a tall, pretty, pale girl, a bronzed, dark young man, talking society platitudes; but sharp-sighted Gussie observed how grave Miles was, how strangely set his mouth, how formal his sentences; and Mr. Hepburn was not to be deceived by Miss Brabazon's present easy manner, and soft, society smiles—they were assumed for the occasion.

"Miles, I wish to present you to Mrs. Bohun," spoke Captain Gee, and Miles, having made a deep obeisance to his majestic hostess, and uttered one or two disjointed remarks, was despotically borne away, and introduced to a lively young maiden in an aesthetic white garment, with a tousled head, adorned with a very pointed, fierce-looking green wreath.

Miles mechanically conveyed his partner to the music room and found her a seat. Luckily for him she was a very loquacious individual; he had only to smile, or nod, and drop an occasional monosyllable, to maintain his share of the conversation; and all the time he was revolving this one burning question in his head, "How am I to get away?" To be forced to meet Esme and Hepburn—to stand calmly by and see another man in his place—was unbearable! Esme and Mr. Hepburn were seated in a window nearly opposite, and, do as he would, he could not help seeing them—nor resist looking at them. The young lady beside him, who had not caught his name, and who had been relating one or two interesting anecdotes of the company to his inattentive ear, observed that his eyes frequently strayed in one direction, and quite misinterpreting his gaze, said:

"I see you are looking at Miss Brabazon; is she not too utterly perfect—just a picture? I know her; we attend the same cooking class."

"Indeed!" now all close, concentrated attention.

"She is such a nice girl, and immensely admired, but she does not care for anything of that sort. I do think it is so sweet of her," pausing and surveying Esme, with melancholy meditation.

"What do you mean?" rather sharply. "Why does she not care?"

"There is," promptly responding to this sudden show of interest, "a very romantic story about her. They say she will never marry, because once," lowering her voice, "she cared very much for some man; he was in the army, I believe, the wedding day was fixed, indeed the bride was dressed, the church decorated, and he never came: he left the country. Was it not quite too utterly awful? Some people say that she was to blame, that she had flirted with someone else. Still it was a frightful thing to happen to any girl, was it not?" opening her eyes very wide, and surveying her companion interrogatively.

"Why—who told you this? How did you hear it?" he asked, in a strange voice.

"An intimate friend of theirs told me. She begged me not to mention it, and," coloring guiltily, "of course I don't: but to you, a stranger, it does not matter. It gives her an interest to you, does it not—and accounts for her rather sad and deliciously weary expression," she concluded, with rapturous enthusiasm.

"I am not a stranger," returned Miles, quickly, seized by some ungovernable impulse that made him speak in spite of himself. "I can tell you even more than what you have been so good as to relate to me. I can tell you the whole story," with a look of stern resolve. "Would you care to hear it?"

"Yes, I should," she returned, with frank curiosity, and a glance of mild interrogation, wondering much at the extraordinary change in his voice and manner. This new acquaintance of hers, with the somber dark eyes and preoccupied manner, was evidently swayed by variable moods.

"Then listen to me," suddenly leaning toward her, and speaking in a low, impressive whisper, an action not lost upon his late lady love. "I was the man!"

"You?" ejaculated the girl, faintly. "Oh, no, you are joking; you look the very last person in the world, I am sure," hesitating.

"To be guilty of such disgraceful conduct," he added, completing the sentence for her. "Nevertheless it is true; I was the bridegroom who left the country; it was all owing to a mistake, a frightful delusion, that has cost me pretty dear."

There was a frankness and simplicity about this confession that almost took away his hearer's breath. She looked at him, then she looked across at Esme, trying vainly to think of some effective and sympathetic remark, to recover the power of expression.

"You will think it strange that I should tell you: I don't explain why, but I wish you to know that it was my fault from first to last. I fancied—I—I—was under a delusion about someone else, and I," glancing over involuntarily at Esme, who was now quite feverishly gay, "am the only sufferer. If you hear the story again, you, at any rate, know the sequel," he added in a low voice.

The mediaeval-looking maiden beside him was mute. Her bewildered, nervous, puzzled stare was a sight to see; so aghast was she at Captain Brabazon's amazing announcement as to be quite run short of words until he started another less personal topic. Meanwhile Mr. Hepburn was leaning closely and confidentially on the back of Esme's chair, presumably whispering soft nothings into her not inattentive ear, and now and then casting a rapid, but searching glance over in the direction of Miles; glances wrongly interpreted by that hot-tempered gentleman as so many triumphant challenges, calling to his notice the fact that the jewel he had spurned, and cast away, had been won, and would be worn, by one who knew its value.

An hour later Mrs. Vashon and her sister were rolling homeward in the little green brougham, tete-a-tete at last.

"Well, Esme," exclaimed her chaperon, impressively, "was it not extraordinary our meeting Miles to-night? I nearly screamed when I saw him on the stairs; I positively thought it was his ghost! How nice he is! I wish poor dear Freddy had a little of his good looks. All the same; looks bring in no income, and you are not to think of him, my love." She paused expressively, and drew up the window.

"You need not alarm yourself, Gussie; everything was at an end long ago between Miles and me," she replied with an averted face, and a shade of frost in her tone.

(To be continued.)

## BEAUTY'S GREATEST FOE.

### An Ill-Temper Is Always Sure to Ruin Its Victim's Beauty.

Bad temper and worry will trace more wrinkles in one night than hot and cold bathing and massage and complexion brushes and creams and lotions can wash out in a year's faithful application. Physicians assert that an immense amount of nerve-force is expended in every fit of bad temper; that when one little part of the nervous system gets wrong the face first records it. The eyes begin losing the luster of youth, muscles become flabby, the skin refuses to contract accordingly, and the inevitable result is wrinkles, femininity's fiercest and most insidious foe. There is no use attempting to reason with a woman about the evil effects of ill-temper while she is in an ugly mood. She knows perfectly well that it is bad form; that it savors of the coarse and underbred; that it is weak and belittling and immoral; and that it hurts her cause to lose her temper. But she does not stop at just that time to think about it, and to remind her of the fact only adds fuel to the flames.

But when she is cool and serene and at peace with all the world, if you can convince her that each fit of temper adds a year to her age by weakening her mental force by tracing crow-tracks about her eyes and telltale lines around her mouth, she will probably think twice before again forgetting herself. For no matter what she asserts to the contrary, woman prizes youth and beauty above every other gift the gods hold it in their power to bestow upon mortals.—Woman's Home Companion.

### Animal Actors in London.

Every year there are simultaneously required several hundreds of horses and ponies alone for stage purposes—quite unconnected with circuses—and such animals and others are trained specially with a view to their value when let out on hire. Most of these animals are, of course, wanted for the pageants of pantomimes, but the great run on military and racing pieces of late years has insured a constant demand for trained horses, the last year's touring season alone accounting for over fifty of these animals. Again, the managers of touring companies visiting small towns have of late taken a leaf out of the circus man's book, and have found that for the "leading man" in a "horsey" or military piece to take his rides constantly about the towns visited has insured a degree of advertisement that a score of posters would scarcely give. The stage horse provider has of late years, too, found ready customers in the stars of the music halls, who are not now content with having horses for their London rounds, but take into the provinces showy steeds that excite attention when ridden through the streets. This sort of catering for stage folks is a separate branch of business, and at the present time one firm following it have out on hire more than two hundred horses.

### Improving Them.

"Very often," remarked the long-haired man, "the printer mixes up words in my poems, thus creating different meanings and thoughts from what I intended."

"That so?" inquired the practical man. "How much does he charge you?"—Indianapolis Sun.

### The Venerable Bede.

St. Bede the Venerable's feast day is to be observed by Roman Catholics all over the world as well as in England from 1901 on, according to a recent decree of the sacred congregation of rites. His day in the calendar will be May 27, his birthday.

### The Weather Prophets.

Bill—I see it only rains about once a year in Lower Egypt, on the coast of the Mediterranean.

Jill—And I don't suppose the weather clerks out there can locate that day.—Yonkers Statesman.

## DESERTS HER HUSBAND.

### Holland Heiress, Who Eloped to Appleton, Tires of Him.

## RETURNS TO HER HOME

### Aristocratic Girl Found American Farm Life Too Slow and Husband Uninteresting.

Appleton, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—A love romance, which had its beginning in Holland with the elopement of an aristocratic heiress with her coachman, and has developed on two continents, came to an unhappy end last week in an obscure farming hamlet in Iowa, when the heiress deserted her coachman husband and returned to the land of her birth.

Early last April there arrived in Appleton Marie Aaltsz, daughter of the late Prof. Aaltsz, teacher of languages in the University of Amsterdam, and sister of Capt. Aaltsz of the Royal navy of Holland. With her was Adrian Schoenmacher, who had long been coachman in the Aaltsz family, with whom she had eloped from Amsterdam, and despite the active measures of relatives escaped with him to America, where immediately upon landing they were married by a justice in Hoboken. From New York they came directly to Appleton, and after visiting several weeks in the family of Cornelius Meyer, a well-known Grand Chute farmer and relative of the bridegroom, went to Iowa and settled on a farm purchased with the bride's money.

#### Tired of Rough Life.

For a time all went well, but gradually the rougher manners of her coachman husband began to grate upon the finer sensibilities of the refined lady. The monotony and isolation of farm life also engendered within her a longing for her former mode of life, and presently was established between them an incompatibility, with the result that the heiress left her husband in possession of the farm she had purchased, and went direct to New York, from whence she sailed last week for Holland. Her expressed intentions are not to seek a reconciliation with her family, which she regards as impossible, but being possessed of a considerable property left her independently by her father, will purchase a home in Holland and live alone.

#### Trying to Win Her Back.

Schoenmacher, the husband, is still living on the Iowa farm, and his intentions are not known by Appleton relatives. It is considered probable, however, that he will eventually follow her and try to bring about a reconciliation, especially if she does not rejoin her family. When the couple arrived here the bride had with her considerable ready money, with which she proposed to establish her husband in some business. His slowness in acquiring a knowledge of the language and of American customs and manners, led to a change of plan in favor of farming, and Mrs. Schoenmacher has still in her possession the bulk of the money she brought over.

## OCONOMOWOC BOY PROBABLY DROWNED.

### Harry Shephard Disappears from the Steamer Nyack in Midlake.

Oconomowoc, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—The passenger who disappeared from aboard the steamer Nyack last Thursday night, bound from Grand Haven, Mich., to Milwaukee, was Harry Shephard, aged 21 years and 6 months, and a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Shephard of this city. Harry had been at work for the Wisconsin Telephone company in Michigan and was on his way home to join Co. M. of the National guard at Camp Douglas. Walter H. Dupee, who was returning from Grand Haven, saw the young man at midnight, but when the boat reached port in the morning Harry's hat and baggage were found, but he had disappeared, presumably having fallen overboard. Mr. Shephard, the father, is making every effort to learn more regarding his son's disappearance and who, if possible, his companions were who left Grand Haven with him.

## END OF WRECKED LIFE.

### Delett Hall of Koshkonong Drowned—He Lived in Solitude and Died Alone.

Milton Junction, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—The body of Delett Hall was recovered from Lake Koshkonong Saturday night. Hall was last seen Wednesday, when he started from his camp on the east shore of the lake in a rowboat. He was missed Saturday, and his overturned boat was found about a half-mile off Pierce's point. The body was found near the boat.

Hall was formerly a railroad man. Upon the death of his mother at the homestead on the lake, Hall returned from the West, and in a quarrel over family money affairs, it is alleged, he stabbed his brother, George Hall. The wound did not prove fatal and Hall was released without trial. Since then he has been living the life of a fisherman at Koshkonong. His father, Chauncey Hall, resides in Fort Atkinson, and is well known to frequenters at Koshkonong.

## FIGHT IN POLICE CIRCLES.

### Mayor of Appleton Claims Right to Fill Vacancies.

Appleton, Wis., August 6.—[Special.]—A fight is on between the mayor and the board of police and fire commissioners. A vacancy recently occurred in the police force, and the mayor, claiming that under the law he is chief of the police department, appointed a man to fill the vacancy, but this appointment was not recognized by the board and the chief of police. A civil-service examination was held as provided by law and from the candidates certified as passed, Chief of Police Hoefer appointed a man who for the past three weeks has been on duty. The mayor's candidate was also a candidate before the board of examiners, passed the examination and was again certified to the board by the mayor as having been appointed, which communication the board again ignored. At the last session of the common council the claim of the policeman appointed by the chief for salary was disallowed. The commissioners will meet tonight and both the mayor and chief will present their cases before them. If an agreement is not reached before the commission the matter will be carried into the courts.

## APPOINTS GEORGE OVERTON.

### He Becomes Superintendent of Winnebago County Schools.

Madison, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—George Overton of Butte Des Mortes has been appointed by Supt. Harvey as county superintendent of Winnebago county, to succeed O. E. Pedersen, who resigned to become cashier of a new bank at Ladysmith, Forest county.

## OFFICIAL CEREMONY.

### President McKinley and Cabinet to Attend Humbert Memorial at Washington.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 7.—Baron Fava, the Italian ambassador, announces that a memorial funeral service will be held at Washington on August 19, at 11 o'clock, in honor of King Humbert. President McKinley has already signified his purpose to come on from Canton and be present at the official ceremony and members of the cabinet in the city will also be present. The service will be at St. Matthew's Catholic church, with Cardinal Gibbons, as the principal dignitary of the church, officiating. All the embassies and legations in Washington have received invitations to be present, the foreign representatives being required to attend in unifirm. Most of the ambassadors and ministers are out of the city, but they are expected to return or send a members of their staff to represent them

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at this formal tribute to Italy's dead ruler. It is expected that Lord Pauncefote will not be able to come on from Newport, but will designate Mr. Lowther or another member of his staff to represent the British government.

In diplomatic quarters the announcement of this service at a Catholic church occasioned some little surprise in view of the conditions existing between the church and the Temporal authorities at home and the announcement was accepted as a most pleasant augury of the growing good feeling between the Vatican and the Quirinal. In this connection it was recalled that when the assassination of King Humbert was announced to the Pope, he decided that a mass be said for the dead monarch, at which the aged pontiff himself was the celebrant.

#### New King Takes Oath Saturday.

Rome, Aug. 7.—Signor Villa invited the deputies to take part in the funeral and announced that the new King would take the oath next Saturday in the Senate before the two chambers.

The House then arose amid cries of "Long live the King."

#### Humbert's Will Found.

Milan, Aug. 7.—The new sovereigns leave on Wednesday evening for Rome, where they will arrive the following morning. Prince Victor Napoleon is hourly expected in Rome from Brussels. The long-searched-for will has at length been found.

The Duke of Aosta and the Count of Turin are to accompany the body of Humbert from Monza, whither it is rumored that the royal family will not return.

#### Plans for Bresci's Trial.

Bresci's trial will be held here, and for this reason the ministers and President Villa of the tribunal that is to try the assassin will arrive here today. The sentence condemning Bresci, about whose fate there can be little doubt, will be the first pronounced in the name of Victor Emanuel III.

## YELLOWSTONE TIMBER ON FIRE

### Flames Said to Extend Over Ten Miles of Territory.

Helena, Mont., Aug. 7.—Fire is sweeping through the vast timbered area between the upper geyser basin and Yellowstone lake in the national park. It started Friday, and was soon beyond the control of the soldiers and road crews who were hurried to the scene. Deputy United States Marshal Sam Jackson said:

"It would take all the men in Montana and Wyoming to put out that fire. When I left it was said that the fire line extended for ten miles and was undoubtedly spreading. The timber in that region is dense and of pretty good size. It is dry and the wind fairly sweeps the flames through the tops of the big pines. The timber on the continental divide is heavier than in most sections of the park, and the fear is expressed that the fire will sweep through a great portion of it. It is said to be the worst fire that ever devastated the timbered regions of the park. The buildings at the upper geyser basin were in danger from the fire. If the fire is not checked before it reaches the timber surrounding the basin the buildings will surely be burned."

## MRS. LOGAN'S EXPENSES.

### Reported to Have Sent Drafts on Mr. Joy for $45,000.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 7.—Neither Representative Joy nor Mrs. Logan offers a denial of the story that they are at outs over the expense account of last winter's European trip. Instead they seem to have reached the point where they have agreed to agree insofar as not giving out information is concerned. When Representative Joy was approached on the subject he smiled and said: "I have nothing to say." When it was suggested that he was doing Mrs. Logan an injustice to allow the story to circulate without denial that Mrs. Logan had sent in a charge of $45,000 for last winter's traveling expenses, and that, as he was dissatisfied, he had demanded an itemized bill, he replied: "It is purely a personal matter and I refuse to discuss it." When Mrs. Logan was asked about the matter she replied: "I have nothing to say."

The story which neither Representative Joy nor Mrs. Logan will discuss is that Mrs. Logan, at the request of Representative and Mrs. Joy, took Mrs. Joy to Europe for a health trip, and that she drew on the representative for sums aggregating $45,000.

## ASSAYS $7000 TO THE TON.

### Remarkably Rich Strike is Reported at the Bald Butte Mine.

Helena, Mont., Aug. 7.—A phenomenally rich gold strike is reported at the Bald Butte mine, west of Helena. One assay showed a value of $7100 per ton, while another, which is believed to be an average sample of the pay streak, ran $2700 per ton. The vein is about 2 feet in width and from actual development 200 feet in length, and from indications observed in the cross-cutting now in progress it is believed it will reach 600, if not more. The Bald Butte is one of the most noted mines in the state, having been a steady producer for ten years and paid over $1,000,000 in dividends, which will be greatly increased by this new uncovering, which is regarded as one of the richest gold strikes made in Montana during the last decade. The mine is owned largely by local capitalists.

### Sherlock Holmes in Disguise.

Three weeks ago Jerome Sykes and several friends spent a week at Elberon, N. J. The morning following their arrival they went into a barber shop. One of the party noticed a fireman's hat and belt hanging on the wall near "No. 1's" chair. "You are a fireman," said he to the barber. "How do you know that?" asked the barber, surprised that a stranger should know that he "ran with the machine." Jerome Sykes, too, looked surprised. "Foxy Quiller," laughed the wag, winking at Sykes and pointing to the fire hat and belt. "The quintessence of all human intelligence," fairly murmured the big comedian. "That's what one gets when one's to play a Sherlock Holmes character, even in comic opera."

### They Learn the Use of Smudges.

A curious bit of adaptation to circumstances may be seen in summer among the cattle of the swamp lands along the Mississippi. From July to mid-September blood-sucking insects—mosquitoes, flies, gnats and so on, are so bad there cattle are sometimes in danger of their lives. So are people, unless they make smudges—that is to say, fires so thickly smothered they fill the air with clouds of smoke and thus drive away the pests. The cattle soon learn the use and value of the smudges.—New York Sun.

## MARKET REPORTS.

Milwaukee, Aug. 8, 1900.

EGG AND DAIRY PRODUCT.

MILWAUKEE—Eggs—Market firm at 11c for new, cases included; 10½c for new, cases returned; 10½c for old, cases included; dirties and seconds, 7@8c. The receipts were 411 cases.

Butter—Market firmer and ½c higher for extra creamery. The receipts were 20,125 lbs today against 8190 yesterday. There is a good demand for choice creamery. Dairy scarce and wanted. The local demand continues good and top prices are easily realized for fancy stock. Fancy prints, 20@20½c; fancy or extra creamery, per lb, 19½@20c; firsts, 17c; seconds, 15c; extra dairy, 15c; lines, 12@14c; packing stock, 11@12c; whey butter, 9c; imitation creamery, 15@16c; grease, 4@6c.

Cheese—Firm. The receipts today were 8145 lbs against 8225 yesterday. Full cream flats, new, colored, 10@10½c; New York, full cream flats, new colored, 10@10½c; Young Americas, new, 10@11c; brick, 9½@10c; limburger, per lb, 9@9½c; imported Swiss, 21c; Block Swiss, domestic, 12@12½c; No. 1 imitation loaf, 14½@15c; Sapsago, 19@20c; farmers', 10@11c. There is a good local demand for all grades of cheese. Brick was offered on the board for 9½c.

NEW YORK—Butter—Receipts, 7391 pkgs; steady; creamery, 17@20c; current packed factory, 14@15½c. Cheese—Receipts, 4596 pkgs; firm; large colored, 9¾@9½c; small colored, 10½c; large white, 9¾@9½c; small white, 10½c. Eggs—Receipts, 10,311 pkgs; steady; Western at mark, 11@13½c for average lots; Western, loss off, 15½c. Sugar—Raw steady. Coffee—Steady.

CHICAGO—Butter—Firm; creameries, 15@20c; dairies, 14@17c. Eggs—Firm; fresh, 12c. Iced poultry—Dull; turkeys, 7@7½c; chickens, 9c; chickens, spring, 10@10½c; ducks, 8c.

SHEBOYGAN—Offerings were 1764 boxes. Sales were 769 boxes daisies at 10¾c; 319 boxes Young Americas at 10¾c; 492 boxes at 10½c; 107 boxes twins at 10c; 47 boxes longhorns 10¾c, and 30 boxes at 10¾c.

PLYMOUTH—Eighteen factories offered 1828 boxes cheese. Sales: 351 daisies at 10¾c; 795 at 10¾c; 295 twins at 10c; 120 at 10¾c; 227 Young Americas at 10¾c; 40 longhorns at 10¾c.

SEYMOUR—Sales of cheese today were 431 flats at 9¾c; 233 daisies at 10c.

MILWAUKEE LIVESTOCK MARKET.

HOGS—Receipts, 3 cars; market 5c higher; light, 5.30@5.45; mixed and medium weights, 5.30@5.45; common to choice heavy, 5.25@5.45; common to good packers, 5.10@5.30.

CATTLE—Receipts, 3 cars; steady; butcher steers, medium to good, 1050 to 1300 lbs, 4.50@5.25; fair to medium, 950 to 1050, 4.00@4.50; heifers, good to choice, 3.25@4.00; cows, fair to good, 3.00@3.40; canners, 2.25@2.65; bulls, common, 2.50@3.00; choice, 3.25@3.75; feeders, 800 to 950 lbs, 3.50@3.75; stockers, 500 to 750 lbs, 3.00@3.50; veal calves, 5.00@6.25; milkers and springers, common to choice, 20.00@45.00.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1 car; market weak, 2.75@3.75; bucks, 2.00@3.00, spring lambs, 4.50@5.25.

Chicago receipts: Hogs, 22,000; cattle, 15,000; sheep, 14,000.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

MILWAUKEE—Flour—Steady. Wheat—Lower; No. 2 spring, on track, 73c; No. 1 Northern, on track, 76¼c. Corn—Steady; No. 3 on track, 39½c. Oats—Easy; No. 2 white, on track, 25½c; No. 3 white, on track, 24½@25c. Barley—Steady; No. 2 on track, 48c; sample on track, 42@48c. Rye—Dull; No. 1 on track, 51c. Provisions—Lower; pork, 11.75; lard, 6.85.

Flour is steady at 4.10@4.25 for patents; bakers', 3.10@3.25, and 3.10@3.25 for rye.

Millstuffs are steady and quoted at 13.25@13.50 for bran, 14.25@14.50 for standard middlings and 15.50@15.75 for Milwaukee flour middlings.

CHICAGO—Close—Wheat—August, 74¾c; September, 75¾c; October, 76½c. Corn—August, 37¾@38c; September, 37¾c; October, 37¼c. Oats—August, 21½c; September, 21¾c; October, 22c; September, No. 2 white, 23¾c. Pork—August, 14.72½; September, 11.77½; October, 11.80. Lard—August, 6.80; September, 6.82½; October, 6.85@6.87½; November, 6.80; December, 6.70; January, 6.70. Ribs—August, 7.15; September, 7.15; October, 7.10; January, 6.10; December, 6.25. Flax—Cash N. W., 1.32; S. W., 1.32; August, 1.27½; September, 1.26½; October, 1.23½. Rye—August, 49½c; September, 49½c; October, 50½c. Barley—Cash, 34@45c. Timothy—September, 3.35; October, 3.25. Clover—October, 9.00.

ST. LOUIS—Close—Wheat—Lower; No. 2 red cash, 72¼c; August, 72c; September, 72¾c; No. 2 hard, 70@70¼c. Corn—Lower; No. 2 cash, 37c; August, 37c; September, 36¾c; December and year, 33¾c. Oats—Lower; No. 2 cash, 20½c; August, 20½c; September, 21c; December, 22¼c; No. 2 white, 24½c. Lead—Steady, 4.20. Spelter—Quiet, 4.05.

DULUTH—Wheat—Cash No. 1 hard, 79¾c; No. 1 Northern, 77¾c; No. 2 Northern, 76¼c; No. 3, 72¾c; No. 1 hard, to arrive, old, 79¾c; No. 1 Northern, to arrive, old, 77¾c; new No. 1 hard, 79¾c; No. 1 Northern, 77¾c; September, 77¾c; December 77¾c.

NEW YORK—Close—Wheat—September, 80¾c; December, 82¾c; March, 85¾c. Corn—September, 43½c; December, 40c; May, 40½c.

MINNEAPOLIS—Close—Wheat—In store, No. 1 Northern, September, 74¼@74¾c; December, 76c; on track, No. 1 hard, 77¾c; No. 1 Northern, 75¾c; No. 2 Northern, 73¾c.

KANSAS CITY—Close—Wheat—September, 65½c; cash No. 2 hard, 66@67c; No. 2 red, 72@73¼c. Corn—September, 25¼c; December, 32¼c; cash No. 2 mixed, 38@38¼c; No. 2 white, 38¼c. Oats—No. 2 white, 24@25c.

LIVERPOOL—Close—Wheat—Quiet, ⅛d lower; September, 6s1⅛d; December, 6s3⅜d. Corn—Quiet, unchanged to ⅛d higher; September, 3s11⅛d; October, 3s11⅛d; November, 4s.

ST. LOUIS—Cattle—Receipts, 3200; market steady; native steers, 3.40@5.80; stockers and feeders, 3.30@4.35; cows and heifers, 2.00@4.90. Hogs—Receipts, 4000; 5c higher; pigs and lights, 5.10@5.25; packers, 5.20@5.40; butchers, 5.40@5.55. Sheep—Receipts, 2000; steady; natives, 4.00@4.15; lambs, 4.00@5.75.

KANSAS CITY—Cattle—Receipts, 11,000; steady to 10c lower; native steers, 4.00@5.70; Texas steers, 2.75@5.15; Texas cows, 2.65@3.50; native cows and heifers, 1.75@4.50; stockers and feeders, 3.25@4.60; bulls, 2.75@3.55. Hogs—Receipts, 11,000; closed weak; bulk of sales, 5.25@5.32½; heavy, 5.22½@5.35; packers, 5.22½@5.32½; mixed, 5.20@5.30; light, 5.12½@5.32½. Sheep—Receipts, 3000; market steady; lambs, 4.50@5.60; muttons, 3.00@4.25.

SOUTH OMAHA—Cattle—Receipts, 4700; steady to strong; native beef steers, 4.30@5.60; Western steers, 4.25@4.80; cows and heifers, 10@15c lower, 3.00@4.50; stockers and feeders, 3.50@4.05; calves, 3.00@4.50. Hogs—Receipts, 8500; higher; heavy, 5.15@5.25; mixed, 5.15@5.17½; light, 5.10@5.17½; pigs, 4.50@5.00; bulk of sales, 5.15@5.17½. Sheep—Receipts, 5300; steady to lower; sheep, 3.25@4.50; lambs, 4.50@5.30.

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## THE EDITORIAL VISIT.

**What Some of our Guests Think of Their Treatment Here.**

The following articles written by members of the editoral party that visited this city July 16 will give some idea of what they thought of their treatment here:

Delavan Leader: At Grand Rapids we were cordially received and royally entertained, given the freedom of the city, and driven to all the points of interest. Grand Rapids is the county seat of Wood county, is in the center of the state at the foot of the grand rapids which have a fall of 32 feet and are 900 feet wide, with 30,000 horse power in that vicinity. The business portions are on both banks of the Wisconsin river (west side formerly Centralia,) 188 miles northwest of Milwaukee. It is a thoroughly wide awake and progressive city of 6,000 people with varied business interests.

Cambridge News: At Greater Grand Rapids we were met at the depot by carriages and conveyed over the river to two large halls where the party was banqueted and assigned quarters for the limited time to be spent in that city. Greater Grand Rapids is composed of the towns of Grand Rapids and Centralia, which by a vote last spring were united and now contains a population of about 5,000. Previous to their unitation a strife existed between the two places, situated on each side of the river, and about equally populated which acted as a barrier to their progress. This illfeeling we are glad to note has been obviated by their being united and the city seems entering upon a new era of prosperity. Nature has done so much for this place in the shape of water-power, when properly developed that we see no probable outcome but a thrifty growth and rapid utilization of that river which will furnish many thousands of horse power, now dormant awaiting its developement. There are today a number of successful manufacturing establishments, mainly in the line of hardwood. The city has a co-operative electric lighting plant which is unique and commends itself to thorough investigation by citizens contemplating such a plant in their town. Monthly dividends are declared and deducted from their lighting bills which brings the cost of those holding stock so ridiculously low that it is a marvel to anyone who pays the usual fee in a city charged for such lights. It is said to be the only plant run on this principle in the country. The day's program being spoiled by a drizzling rain and the afternoon given up to social indoor amusement the writer accepted an invitation with a dozen of the press boys and enjoyed the hospitality of the Crooked Rift Rod and Reel club at their club house seven miles up the river, a picturesque place on the old Wisconsin, where for three long miles the stream was straight as an arrow and unbroken by rocks and islands presenting quite a contrast to the river as seen from any other point. It would be putting it mildly to say that we did enjoy ourselves. It was the one bright spot in all our trip. The chowder was good and the "bait" excellent.

Juneau Telephone: At Grand Rapids we were met at the depot by a reception committee, and hundreds of carriages. An elegant dinner was served in two large halls and the bill of fare was on the broad-gauge order. After dinner we were assigned to private houses for entertainment, which was dealt out with no stingy hand. Our treatment could not be surpassed. Other visitors claimed to be equally well received. But we doubt it, although all fared well. It was here that Charley Pettibone made a pertinent inquiry. He and his better-half were assigned to the home of one of Grand Rapids' leading clergymen. Our ex-senator took his card, looked it over and asked whether the minister lived on donations or had a fixed salary. No one enjoyed the humor of the situation better than the good-natured clergy-man.

The afternoon was spent in riding about the city which is one of the busy, booming manufacturing points in the valley and a sure "comer." Wood county, of which Grand Rapids is the county seat, is one of the best agricultural counties in the state. A rainy afternoon prevented us from seeing much of it but judging from the city, there must be something good back of it and all around it.

Our entertainment at Grand Rapids concluded with a ball and banquet in the evening, and after being safely delivered by our respective hosts at the depot Tuesday morning, we wave a reluctant farewell and were off.

Sauk County Democrat: It is known to nearly all persons that for years Grand Rapids and Centralia were two quite prosperous towns, being divided by the Wisconsin river. They flirted for some time, had spats, but finally concluded to kiss, make up and become one. They realized that in union there is strength, and several months ago the ceremony was performed which joined the two cities under the name of Grand Rapids. Upon our arrival there we were met by more rain, the local brass band, carriages and citizens. The town was decorated, and the excursionists were escorted to public halls, where dinner was served by ladies of the First Congregational and First M. E. churches. Various drives and visits to manufacturing plants had been planned, but rain interfered and so it was not possible for the citizens to show up their town to the best advantage. A game of base ball was played in a drizzling rain between the Grand Rapids and Manston nines, and the Rapids team came out ahead. Other sports were on the programme, which could not be given on account of the rain. The inclement weather was a great disappointment to all, but the members of the press gang bent on pleasure and sight seeing usually manage to stand by their hosts, and so all braved the storm in the evening and attended the reception and ball given in the opera house, carriages being provided for all those who wished to ride. The decorations in the opera house were very attractive the emblem to visitors being a pen in incandescent electric lights. To excellent music many citizens and their guests danced until the small hours of morning. Grand Rapids is the county seat of Wood county; it now has a population of between four and five thousand, and the citizens certainly are wide awake. They purpose making the best of their opportunities. Much of the soil in the county is rich and well adapted for farming. The splendid water power has done much to develop Grand Rapids, and among the leading manufacturing establishments are these: Oberbeck Bros., manufacturers of furniture, employing one hundred hands; F. Mac Kinnon Manufacturing Co., manufacturers of a new metal covered hub, employing seventy hands; Grand Rapids Lumber Co., employing one hundred men; Grand Rapids Foundry Co., having an average pay roll of $500 per month; Grand Rapids Pressed Brick Co., with a capacity of 3,000,000; Grand Rapids Table company; Jackson Milling company; several lumbering firms. The city has a co-operative telephone company and electric light plant. They have a fine public library, known as the T. B. Scott Free Public Library.

Whitewater Gazette: About the time the editors began to think of dinner on our first day out, we reached the city of Grand Rapids, the thriving county seat of Wood county. The east side of the city was formerly called Centralia, but now the whole has merged into one city of 6000 people and lies both sides of the river at the place where the fall in the river is most abrupt. The descent which causes the rapids is about 32 feet and is claimed to be good for 30,000 horse-power. Grand Rapids is a manufacturing town and produces large quantities of paper, furniture, pine and hardwood lumber and products. It is in the cranberry region and the berries and potatoes are among the principal exports. Before reaching the place we were told that on our arrival we were to be in the hands of our friends, the Wisconsin Valley association. Of course the association turned us over for the day to the Grand Rapids people. We saw at once that being entertained in one of the valley cities meant being royally received. In spite of the rain we were escorted to the reception rooms by a brass band and a large company of citizens. The dinner, which was to have been served on an island in the rapids, had to be served where there was a roof between us and the clouds above, which were still doing duty at the old stand. When the ladies of Grand Rapids began to bring in the edibles we were forcibly reminded that we were in a land of plenty. Just how many chickens and quarters of beef disappeared on that memorable occasion will probably never be known.

In the afternoon some of the party kept dry, others visited the factories and the remainder watched a good ball game.

In the evening the editorial party were introduced to their respective hosts and taken to supper. Our assignment was at the Witter House, the largest hotel of the place. We were assigned a room from the window of which we had a view of the entire rapids, a scene which we will not soon forget. The evening was spent in dancing by those fortunate to be able to engage in that amusement. Those of us with uneducated feet attended the reception and then watched the others until we realized how tired we were, and then to our lodgings. Thus closed the first day of our journey as guests of the Wisconsin Valley association, and the long-to-be-remembered day when we were guests of the citizens of Grand Rapids.

After an early breakfast we took the train for Junction City and then on Wisconsin Central to Waupaca to visit the famous Chain o' Lakes and the Wisconsin veterans' home.

### Almost a Blaze.

John Bell's barn had a narrow escape from fire on Tuesday. Some little boys of the neighborhood who had been trying to build a bon fire and had met with indifferent success, repaired to Mr. Bell's barn and started their fire in the middle of the floor. They got a merry blaze started and were sitting about enjoying their campfire when the state of affairs were discovered by a neighbor who extinguished the conflagration.

### Decided to Locate.

One of the Green Bros. of Stevens Point has been in town during the past week looking for a store and also a place in which to place a sale stable. He stated that it was the intention of the company to move to this city next month.

Wilbur Herschleb, who is a member of the 2d infantry, arrived home on Tuesday to spend a ten day furlough. He received a telegram on Thursday however, to rejoin his company as it was to leave for San Francisco on the 10th inst. He left for Cincinnati Thursday evening, and his company will be sent to China as soon as possible.

—The success of Dr. McElwee in curing cases of chronic sickness would be past relief were there not many within the Grand Rapids neighborhood who have been cured, several of whom had given up all hope of ever being well again. Perhaps no more striking case can be mentioned than that of Mr. M. Booth who for twelve years had been a confirmed invalid, finally unable even to do the chores about the house. His trouble was principally in his stomach although his heart was much affected. He was a constant sufferer, the least bit of food causing great pain. He was finally induced to consult Dr. McElwee, who after a thorough examination, said he could cure him. That he has done so, Mr Booth is only too glad to testify. He has been working steadily all summer at his trade, masonry, an occupation that certainly would test a well man's strength. The joy of Mr. Booth over his unexpected recovery can be better imagined than described.

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## LEGAL NOTICES.

[First Publication 7-4-w3]

**Notice of Application.**

Wood County Court—In Probate.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, } ss.
COUNTY OF WOOD. }

In the matter of the last will and testament of Ferdinand Damitz, deceased.

WHEREAS, An instrument, in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Ferdinand Damitz, deceased, late of the town of Seneca, Wood County, Wisconsin, has been filed in this office.

AND WHEREAS, Application has been made by Amelia Damitz praying that the same be proven and admitted to probate, according to the laws of this state, and that letters testamentary be granted thereon accordingly to law.

IT IS ORDERED, That said application be heard before me, at the probate office, in the city of Grand Rapids, said county, on the 4th day of September, A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That notice of the time and place appointed for hearing said application be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order for three weeks successively, in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a newspaper printed in said county, previous to said hearing.

Dated, August 4th, 1900.

By the Court. JOHN A. GAYNOR, County Judge.

(First Publication 7-14-w3)

**Notice of Application.**

Wood County Court—In Probate.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, } ss.
COUNTY OF WOOD. }

In the Matter of the Estate of Emma Clarisa Arpin, deceased.

On this 3rd day of July, A. D. 1900, upon reading and filing the petition of Daniel J. Arpin stating that Emma Clarisa Arpin of the county of Wood, died intestate, on or about the 16th day of June, 1900, and praying that Clarisa Arpin be appointed administrator of the estate of said deceased.

IT IS ORDERED, That said application be heard before me, at the probate office in Grand Rapids on the 4th day of September, A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That notice of the time and place appointed for hearing said application be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order for three weeks successively, in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a newspaper printed in said county, previous to the time appointed for said hearing.

By the Court.

JOHN A. GAYNOR, County Judge.

[First Publication 7-14-w3]

**Foreclosure Sale.**

State of Wisconsin—Wood County—In Circuit Court.

Geo. L. Williams, Plaintiff,
vs.
Ladislaus E. Granzger and Clara L. Granzger his wife, and August Benwski and ——Benwski his wife, Defendants.

By virtue of and pursuant to a judgment of foreclosure rendered and entered in the above entitled action in said court on the first day of July, A. D. 1899, I shall expose for sale and sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the front or north door of the court house in the city of Grand Rapids in said Wood County, on the 28th day of August, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, all of the following described morgaged premises, situated, lying and being in said Wood County, Wisconsin, to wit: The northwest quarter of the northeast quarter and the whole of the northwest quarter of section twenty-five (25) in township twenty-one (21) north of range six (6) east, together with all buildings and improvements thereon

Dated, Grand Rapids, Wis., July 14 A. D. 1900

MICHAEL VINCENT, Sheriff of Wood County, Wis.


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# Grand Rapids Tribune

## LOCAL ITEMS.

Ray Love was a Stevens Point visitor on Sunday.

John Daly transacted business in Merrill on Wednesday.

Moses Parueau, of Plover, was in the city on Wednesday.

Miss Edith Lynn, of Nekoosa, was in the city on Thursday.

Editor Adam Paulus of Marshfield was in the city yesterday.

Albert Plath of Marshfield transacted business here on Friday.

C. Otto, of Vesper, transacted business in the city on Wednesday.

Wanted—Good girl for housework. Small family. W. L. LAIN.

Miss Anna Oberbeck visited with friends in Marshfield last week.

Mrs. K. W. Karner, of Stevens Point, was in the city yesterday.

Otto Backhaus of the Marshfield Brewing Co., was in the city today.

Guy Wood returned on Monday from his trip through Yellowstone Park.

W. G. Scott went to Sheridan on Tuesday to spend a few days' vacation.

Jasper Croteau, of the Hotel Lyon, was a Merrill visitor on Sunday last.

District Attorney D. D. Conway transacted business in Merrill on Tuesday.

The Johnson & Hill Co. shipped about 7,000 pounds of wool this season.

Miss Josie Huber returned on Saturday from a two weeks' visit at Babcock.

Miss Helen Kromer entertains this evening in honor of Miss Maude Tibbits

Mrs. James Dolan is reported to be seriously ill at her home on the west side.

Mrs. H. H. Voss left Thursday for a week's visit with her parents at Tomah.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Lampert, of Pittsville, were in town for a short time on Tuesday.

We acknowledge the receipt of a fine bouquet of gladiolus from the Riverdale farm.

Miss Mabel Podawiltz, of Grand Rapids, is visiting Miss Libbie Timian at Amherst.

Will Runge, of Manocqua, visited a couple of days in the city the fore part of the week.

Frank Ostrander, of Scofield visited over Sunday in this city at the home of R. Farrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Croteau went to Merrill on Saturday to spend a week visiting.

The members of the Methodist Sunday school held a picnic on Friday at Port Edwards.

Will Henke left for Janesville on Monday, to spend a week visiting among friends.

Rev. J. A. Bayaton spent Wednesday in Stevens Point, the guest of Father Weller

Mrs. O. Y. Vover, of Junction City, visited with Mrs. Lefebvre for a few days this week.

Mrs. W. H. Cochran and Mrs. Beulah Biron visited in Chicago the fore part of the week.

Mrs. Frank Spease and daughter, of Plainfield, are visiting at the home of Robt. Dunavan.

The household of Dr. Ridgman was gladdened by the arrival of a girl baby on Thursday.

Mrs. W. D. Fairweather and daughter, of Wausau, are visiting at the home of O. E. Odell.

Editor Adolph Pankow, of the Marshfield Democrat was in the city Saturday on business.

John Schnabel, Jr., returned from Neenah last week after a two weeks' visit among friends.

Claus Johnson of Sigel attended the republican state convention at Milwaukee this week.

S. H. Smart and Roy Farrish took advantage of the low rates and went to Chicago on Sunday.

Misses Annie and Maggie Granger went to Nekoosa on Thursday to visit with friends for a time.

The Misses Matilda Bunge and Carrie Miller visited in Pittsville a few days the past week.

Wm. Pflueger, of Manitowoc, arrived in the city Thursday to spend a few days visiting friends.

—Dr. McElwee, Witter House, Saturday, Aug. 18. The doctor makes no charge for examinations.

E. S. Huckins was over from Pittsville. He left for Milwaukee to attend the Republican convention.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kohl, of Marshfield, spent Monday in the city, guests at the home of Mrs. Hamm.

Walter Demeroe left for Chicago last week to accept a position as musician with a show company.

Mrs. M. Lemense and children returned Saturday from a two weeks visit with relatives in Thorp.

Mrs. W. A. Brazeau, of Port Edwards entertained yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Maud Tibbitts.

Miss Louie Mansur, of Stevens Point, has been the guest of Mr. and Geo. W. Paulus since Thursday.

Miss Grace Hoskinson has been spending the past week in Manitowoc, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Platt.

Omar Stout, of Clarksburg, W. V., has taken the place of John Vanderhei in the American express office.

Editor John White and John Adler were down from Marshfield on Monday to take in the shooting match.

—Give your orders early for tomatoes cucumbers, cauliflower, cabbage and chow chow material. Telephone 181, Riverdale farm. 2w

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Looze left on Wednesday for Green Bay where they visited relatives for a short time.

The macadamizing on Cranberry street has been about completed and now presents a handsome appearance

A gun club has been organized at Pittsville, so we may have some interesting contests from that quarter.

The ladies of the Lutheran church on the east side gave a social Thursday evening which was well attended.

Mrs John Arpin and E. P. Arpin left on Wednesday for Chicago. Mrs. Arpin will visit in the east for a time.

Miss Frank Rogers, who has been visiting at the home of John Steb. left for her home in Neenah on Tuesday.

Dr. Conniff and Ray Love left on Thursday for a ten day fishing trip among the lakes of northern Wisconsin.

Miss Vinnie Podawiltz left Wednesday for a two weeks visit with her friend Miss Florence Bailey at Waupaca.

W. A. Keyes, who has been sick with a complication of disorders for some time past, is able to be about again.

The band was out Wednesday evening and gave a few concert selections on the street which were appreciated by all.

A. B. Sutor leaves for Camp Douglas to-night to join Company A, he being first lieutenant of that organization.

Miss Elide Marceau returned Tuesday from a month's visit with relatives and friends at Hillsboro and Tomah.

Albert Crawford went to Marshfield yesterday to join Company A, it being his intent on to go into camp with the company.

The Philippine natives run pell-mell
At the sound of our Yankee yell,
But, oh what a gait they'll have, maybe
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Miss Georgia Griffith returned Tuesday from Warrens after spending five weeks with her sister, Mrs. Thos. Henderson.

Miss Mabel Friend, of Milwaukee, who has been visiting with the family of F. W. Kruger, returned to her home on Tuesday.

Rev. A. H. Ameson, of Grand Rapids, was a visitor at the Baptist parsonage Monday and Tuesday.—Manocqua Times.

Beatrice Belanger and Ella Griffith, of Stevens Point, arrived in the city Wednesday and are guests at home of J. D. LeBreche.

The Misses Mamie Grey and Nellie Young, of Grand Rapids, are the guests of Mrs. B. B. Matnewson.—Pittsville Pilot.

Miss Effie Marshall, of New Lisbon, visited a few days the fore part of the week the guest of her sister, Miss Isabelle Marshall.

Mrs. Herbert Kellogg and children returned Tuesday from Belvidere, Ill., where they have spent the past two months visiting.

The walks on the end of French street have been torn up and new ones are being laid. Some of the new walk will be of brick.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Will Miller and Geo. Brazeau departed for Plum Lake on Sunday for a ten days outing.

Frank Sinclair and Ed Lindsey, of Marshfield, wheeled down on Sunday and spent the day in this city, returning the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McDonald returned Tuesday morning from a two weeks' visit with friends in the southern part of the state.

Misses Georgia and Edna Ridgman returned today from Fond du Lac where they have spent the past four weeks visiting friends.

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Geo. W. Brown of Pittsville has announced himself as a candidate for the nomination for county clerk before the republican convention.

Miss Katharine Mathers, of Merrill, is the guest of Miss Mabel McCamley, having arrived in the city last Saturday. She will remain until Monday.

J. Ruess and C. F. Wussow, of Vesper, have bills out for a grand harvest ball at the Modern Woodman hall at Vesper, Saturday evening, Aug. 18.

John Grignon, who has been in the employ of Photographer Tucker, left on Thursday for Viroqua where he has accepted a position in a gallery.

T. A. Taylor left on Friday for Marinette where he went to hear the renowned Prof. Hubbard speak before the Chautauqua convention on Friday.

Bob Fitzimmons knocked out Gus Rublin last night in the sixth round in what was to have been a 25 round match. The battle took place in New York.

Peter LaBelle, of Marshfield, was in the city Saturday, having come down to take his wife home who had been visiting relatives in Saratoga for a time.

M. Cahill, of Vesper, transacted business here on Saturday. Mr. Cahill recently purchased some property here and may decide to locate here this fall.

The C. M. & St. Paul had very low rates to Chicago Saturday, the notice was not received soon enough to publish in the papers. Eighteen tickets were sold.

N. B. Cox, of Marinette, is the guest of Rev. J. A. Bayaton, Mr. Cox being a half brother. On Monday they leave for Milwaukee and Templeton for a visit.

"A Woman in the Case" at the opera house last Saturday evening was not as well attended as it should of been, as it was a good production and well worth seeing.

Mrs. James DeMars died at Biron on Friday of last week aged 22 years. She leaves a husband and two children She was buried on Monday at Rudolph, her former home.

Chris. Kleviter, formerly bridge contractor on the Green Bay & Western road, was killed at New London on Tuesday by a pile driver falling on him. He leaves a wife and one child.

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Private advices received from Mrs. John Bell, who was called to Watertown by the illness of her sister, state that the latter died on Saturday last. Mrs. Bell is still in Watertown

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Johnson, of Plainfield and Mrs. Emmet Gear, of Hancock, returned to their home this morning, after a week's visit with Mrs. R. E. McFarland and other relatives.

Samuel Denne, of Stratford, and Miss Nellie Cark, of Marshfield, were married in this city Tuesday by Justice Croteau. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John E. Burt, of Marshfield.

Chas. Demitz came home on Monday and will spend a time visiting his relatives in this city. He was accompanied by his friend John Stone, of Appleton, who will also spend his vacation here.

Emile Lambert left on Friday for Marshfield where he joined the Second Regiment band and went to Camp Douglas with that organization Saturday morning. He will play trombone with the boys.

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Chas. Podawiltz has officially announced himself as a candidate for the office of clerk of the circuit court at the republican convention. Henry Forbes of Port Edwards is also out for the nomination.

Cecelia, the six months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Rickman, died on Thursday from cholera infantum, superinduced by the excessive heat. The funeral was held yesterday from the Lutheran church.

The dance on Thursday evening by the band boys was not very largely attended owing to the excessive heat. However the band boys realized fairly well out of the affair as many bought tickets who did not attend.

Among the visiting attorneys in attendance at the special term of court this week were B. E. Brown, of Waupaca, Geo. Hoxie, of Clintonville, W. T. Olin, Fred Carpenter and C. D. McFarland, of Stevens Point.

Mrs. Isaac P. Witter and Miss Maud Tibbits were guests of honor at an informal tea party given by Miss Carrie Briere on Thursday afternoon from 3 to 6. Only ladies present. A delightful afternoon was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Weiland, and children from Appleton, arrived in the city Saturday to visit relatives here. Mr. Weiland left for home on Tuesday but Mrs. Weiland remained to extend her visit a week longer.

Henry Brahmsted, who resides at Four Mile creek, cut his foot in a serious manner with an ax on Saturday, the blade entering near the instep and severing an artery. Dr. Sweetman fixed up the injured man.

Attorney Cochran returned from Milwaukee on Wednesday without staying to see the convention out. The heat was so oppressive in the Cream city that Mr. Cochran thought the best place for him was at home.

Briere & Pomainville last week disposed of a one-fourth interest in their cranberry marsh near City Point to Peter Jepson, who lives near there and will have charge of the marsh. The owners expect a large crop this year.

The Stevens Point Fair association, organized from new blood and young men of push, is going to give a fair and race meeting, Aug. 28th to 31st, and the program will be the best in all respects ever witnessed in Central Wisconsin.

The stock of stoves owned by F. H. Norton and sold on chattel mortgage last week was bid in by Geo. Corriveau and the stock is being sold out where it stands. Mr. Norton has opened another place of business across the street.

D. D. Compton, who delivers for the Riverdale farm, brought us in a sweet potato last week that was about eight inches long and a beauty for this part of the country at this time. Mr. Compton says they have quite a patch planted and the indications are that there will be a good crop.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Kuntz, of Nebraska, who have been visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity for a week past, returned home Thursday. Mr. and Mrs Kuntz formerly resided in this section, but left here twenty years ago and have since resided in Nebraska.


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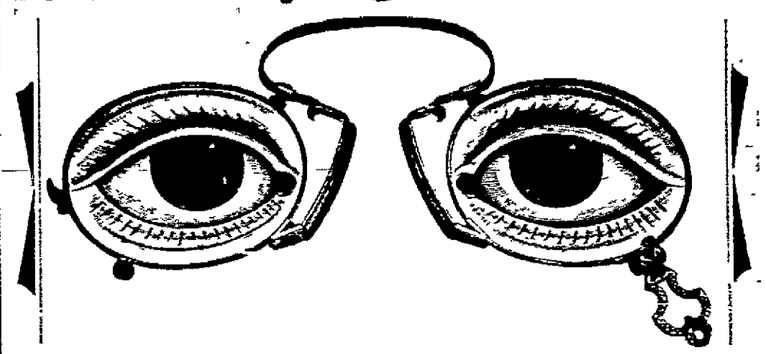

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# ALONZO KIMBALL IS DEAD.

## An Old Resident of Green Bay Passes Away.

## CAME WEST IN 1847.

**Was in Business in Milwaukee in the Early Days Before He Went North.**

Green Bay, Aug. 8.—[Special.]—Alonzo Kimball, one of the oldest residents of Green Bay, died last evening at 7 o'clock in the ninety-second year of his life. Mr. Kimball was born at Le Roy, Jefferson county, New York, November 5, 1808, the fifth of a family of twelve children, four of whom lived to celebrate their golden wedding. His golden wedding occurred in Green Bay ten years ago, shortly after which his wife died in her eightieth year. His youth was spent on a farm. Ambitious for an education, he worked his way through Union college, from which he was graduated in 1830, being at the time of his death the oldest living graduate of that

THE LATE ALONZO KIMBALL.

institution. He subsequently entered Andover Theological seminary, intending to follow the profession of his father as a clergyman, but abandoned it on account of delicate health. He subsequently took up teaching and became principal of the Lee academy at Lee, Mass. In 1840 he married Sarah Weston of Dalton, Mass. Six children were born to them, five of whom survive: Mrs. M. H. Walker and C. T. Kimball of Green Bay, A. W. Kimball of Chicago, M. D. Kimball of Milwaukee and Mrs. W. H. Hobbs of Madison. He came West in 1847, by the steamer Jim Woods, from Buffalo to Milwaukee, and with his brother-in-law, Dr. Josiah Weston, established a general merchandise store on East Water street. Two years later he moved to Green Bay, where after a few years of teaching in the public school he engaged in the hardware trade. The business then established still bears his name, being the oldest in that line in northern Wisconsin, if not in the state. He was mayor of Green Bay for several terms and for many years president of the board of education. In 1871, when Peshtigo and other North Wisconsin villages were wiped out by forest fires, he was made treasurer of the relief committee and in that capacity had charge of the distribution of over a quarter of a million of dollars, which had been contributed from all parts of the world. It is worthy of mention that on a careful auditing of his accounts it was found that he had paid out to the sufferers of that awful calamity more money than he had received. For over forty years he was an elder in the First Presbyterian church of Green Bay, resigning the position a few years since on account of failing health. In politics he was a Republican. As one of the original abolitionists he at one time assisted Rev. Jeremiah Porter in helping a family of runaway slaves on their way to Canada. The manner in which these fugitives were concealed in the belfry of the old church and there supplied with food until the arrival of the Buffalo boat is a matter of history. The name of Alonzo Kimball for half a century in this community has been a synonym for personal and business probity and for right living. Probably no merchant who ever did business in this section had so many friends, and it is very sure that no man can say he ever received wrong at Mr. Kimball's hands.

## TAKEN TO WAUPUN.

**Wausau Officers Take No Chances with Walter Kinney.**

Fond du Lac, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special.]—Walter J. Kinney, alias "Walter Stewart," who escaped from Sheriff Malone of Wausau and Bob Johnson at Eland Junction a year ago while being taken to Waupun, and who was captured in Minneapolis Monday, was taken to Waupun today by Sheriff T. R. Malone and Deputy Sheriff John M. Malone of Marathon county. Kinney was sentenced for a year for larceny of a bicycle. At Eland Junction at that time he broke away from the sheriff and jumped in front of a fast moving freight, clearing it and escaping into a swamp. He evaded capture until three weeks ago, when he was arrested in Duluth. He made his escape from his captor there and Monday was caught in Minneapolis where he had gained prominence as a singer in one of the church choirs. He possesses a fine tenor voice. The officers were taking no chances with their prisoner this morning. They had to lay over here awaiting connections and had their man handcuffed and with a pair of steel "governors" on his feet that regulated his step down to an eight-inch basis. Kinney says he is more contented than he has been for a year, and that he hasn't passed a happy day since his escape from Malone and Johnson a year ago.

## YOUNG RUSSIAN DROWNED.

**Meets Death While Bathing in River at Sheboygan.**

Sheboygan, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special.]—Peter Norwinski, aged 29 years, was drowned while bathing in the river at the foot of New York avenue, near the Sattler icehouse, last evening. He was a Russian and had not been in this country long. A wife and child survive him, their home being in Russia.

**Funeral of Wynn Edwards.**

Fond du Lac, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special.]—The funeral of Wynn Edwards, whose sudden death occurred at Oshkosh yesterday morning, will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the family home in Rosendale and will be followed by services in the Rosendale M. E. church. The Fond du Lac G. A. R., post No. 130, of which he was a member, and the county board, on which he had served for ten years, will attend in a body.

## FOUR MEN ATTACK STATION AGENT.

**Thomas Burns of Western Union Junction Shoots One of His Assailants.**

Racine, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special.]—Thomas Burns, baggage agent at Western Union Junction, was attacked by four men late last night and badly injured. He was struck over the head by one of the men with a piece of iron and a bad wound was inflicted over the eye. It is feared that Mr. Burns will lose the use of his eye. Two of his assailants were arrested and are in jail here. One of the men was shot in the leg by Burns and is in quite a serious condition.

Four men were stealing a ride on a passenger train which pulled into the Junction. The conductor, with the agent's help, put the men off the train. The passenger then pulled out of the station. The men returned and attacked Mr. Burns. One of the men had an iron bar in his hand and struck Burns over the head, inflicting an ugly wound. Burns then fired and shot one of the men. Help arrived and two of the men were arrested and brought to this city.

## ARMY OF WORMS DESTROY LAWNS.

**Grass at Green Bay Ruined by a Peculiar Pest Which Cannot be Combatted.**

Green Bay, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special.]—Many of Green Bay's most beautiful lawns have been ruined within the last few days by armies of worms which cannot be repulsed by any means known to local gardeners. This is a return of a pest that ruined many lawns in various parts of the city last year. The worm is of a species that has not been identified here. Its length varies from one-half inch to three-fourths of an inch. It burrows through the turf, close to the surface, wherever ants are to be found. There seem to be thousands of the worms on the infested lawns and as they move through the lawns they leave a trail of rusty-colored, lifeless grass.

## MINISTER ARRESTED.

**Pastor is Charged with Affectionately Kissing Another Man's Wife.**

Sheboygan, Wis., Aug. 8.—There was a great deal of trouble here yesterday and as a result Rev. John F. Van Vlasselaer, who recently resigned as pastor of the Christian Science church here, is under arrest on a charge of using abusive language. The complaint was made by Carl Manthe.

Mr. Manthe alleges that on returning very suddenly to his home he found Rev. Mr. Van Vlasselaer affectionately kissing his wife. Mr. Van Vlasselaer denies this and says he was at the house because Mrs. Manthe had sent for him, she explaining that she had sent for the reverend gentleman because her husband had threatened her.

Mrs. Manthe began divorce proceedings against her husband Monday and she began removing the household furniture yesterday, which the husband objected to her doing, and the disturbance was the result. Manthe had Dr. Van Vlasselaer arrested, who, in turn, had Manthe arrested on the same charge of abusive language.

## WITHOUT A SAILOR.

**The Empty Yacht Had Canvas Spread and was Under Full Speed.**

Marinette, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special.]—The captain of the steamer Atlanta reports a startling discovery fifteen miles off Cedar river. At that point a small sailboat, with a green-painted hull was sighted and there was apparently no one in it. The Atlanta hove to, and steamed up alongside the silent craft and to their surprise found it empty, with sails set and silently speeding on its way out into the lake. The interior of the boat gave evidence that someone had been in it when it left its moorings, and the general supposition of the captain of the Atlanta was that whoever had started from shore in that little craft had fallen out and was drowned. The boat is described as a one-masted, flat bottom, and about 15 feet long. There was quite a strong wind and the boat was about one-third filled with water from the splashing waves. It is quite likely that some person or persons from Cedar River have found a watery grave.

## MAYOR IS NOT POLICE CHIEF.

**He Cannot Appoint Men on the Force —Appleton Row Settled.**

Appleton, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special.]—At a special meeting of the board of fire and police commissioners, the muddle growing out of the contest between Mayor Hammel and Chief of Police Hoefer as to the right to appoint policemen, was settled by the claims of the mayor being denied. Mayor Hammel claimed to be ex-officio chief of police, and acting on this claim appointed P. J. Vaughn to fill a vacancy in the force. His action was ignored by the board. Chief of Police Hoefer appointed E. H. Fox, who has since been on duty, but the council refused to allow his claim for pay. The matter was argued before the board of commissioners, both sides being represented by counsel, and the board by a vote of 3 to 1 adopted a resolution declaring the chief of police to have the sole power of appointment. The mayor accepts their decision and the case will not be carried into the courts.

## HE WAS AWAITING DEATH.

**Man Lost Near Wausau Found in Exhausted Condition.**

Wausau, Wis., Aug. 8.—August Maibach, who had been lost in the woods between Rib mountain and Mosinee hill since Sunday, was found by a farmer named Brann. He was lying beside a log in a swamp, having almost given up hope of rescue. He had wandered through the woods slashing and swamps until exhausted, and is in a very weak condition, but will soon be all right again.

## NOSE BLEED CAUSES DEATH.

**Emil Kawalle of Manitowoc Dies of Loss of Blood.**

Manitowoc, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special.]—Emil Kawalle, aged 24, died this morning at the hospital from loss of blood, caused by a flow from the nasal passage. Kawalle served through the Spanish-American war as a member of Co. H, Second regiment, and went to Porto Rico with that regiment. He was a member of the Spanish-American veterans and also of the Modern Woodmen.

**To Enlarge Amerika.**

Madison, Wis., Aug. 8.—Prof. Rasmus B. Anderson announces that he has purchased the Red River Tidende, a Norwegian paper published at St. Paul and consolidated it with Amerika. Prof. Anderson now has the most influential Norwegian paper in the Northwest.

# WYNN EDWARDS IS DEAD

## Fond du Lac Man Dies of Heart Failure at Oshkosh.

## HIS DEATH WAS SUDDEN

**Nine Months Ago His Wife was Fatally Burned and He Never Recovered from Shock.**

Fond du Lac, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—Word was received here from Oshkosh this morning telling of the death of Wynn Edwards of Rosendale, this county. He died early this morning at the Tremont house. He left here Saturday to go to Oshkosh to consult some physicians there as to his health. He was taken suddenly ill at 3 o'clock this morning and died before physicians arrived. Heart disease was the cause of death.

Mr. Edwards has been in bad health for over a year. He had consumption and one lung was entirely gone while the other was affected. About nine months ago his wife was burned to death in a gasoline explosion. He never recovered from the shock and has been daily growing weaker and more miserable. At the time of his death he was worn down so that he weighed less than 100 pounds.

On Saturday Mr. Edwards went to Oshkosh, intending to remain there for several days. Yesterday he drove out in the country to see some friends. He stayed to supper and returned to the hotel in the evening. Shortly after 2 o'clock a ring from his room brought a bell boy there. Mr. Edwards told the boy to get water and call a physician. Before the boy returned Mr. Edwards had died.

The physicians stated that death was caused by heart failure. They found two bottles of narcotics in his room and they stated that he had taken some during the night, although they do not think that that had anything to do with his death.

Mr. Edwards' daughter, Miss Emily Edwards of Rosendale, received a letter yesterday from her father telling her that he intended taking a lake trip from Duluth to Buffalo, hoping it would benefit his health. He asked his daughter to go to Oshkosh. She was on her way to the train when she received word of Mr. Edwards' death.

Miss Edwards went on to Oshkosh and took charge of her father's remains. The body will be taken to Rosendale for burial.

Mr. Edwards was 58 years of age. He had been in the Legislature several terms and had been a member of the county board for years.

Three children survive. They are Miss Emily, John and Arthur. All resided at Rosendale.

Mr. Edwards was a member of the local post of the G. A. R. and served during the Civil war in Co. F, Twenty-first Wisconsin volunteers.

## HAS CLOSE SHAVE.

**Madison Soldier at Camp Douglas Cuts Wrist and Nearly Bleeds to Death.**

Camp Douglas, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—The companies from Milwaukee, except Co. D, shot on the ranges this afternoon. The troop had a mounted revolver practice. It will take its practice march Thursday.

Private "Tug" Wilson of Madison narrowly escaped death from a hemorrhage last night from a wound in his wrist, caused by a broken glass. The cut severed the arteries, and the man was very weak when found and taken to the hospital about midnight. His wounds were dressed by Surgeon Whiting.

There have been no cases of prostration in camp, and no accidents except two or three minor ones. The general health of the camp is excellent.

## RIORDAN WILL RETURN.

**Famous Football Guard to Play on the Wisconsin University Team.**

Madison, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—Jerry Riordan, the famous guard and captain in the Wisconsin "97" football team, will be back on the eleven next year. He will re-enter the university to take post-graduate work in history. As he has played football but three years on the team he is eligible for one more year under the rules. For the past two years Mr. Riordan has been principal of the high school at Baraboo.

## PROF. EMERSON'S FUNERAL.

**Services Held in the College Chapel at Beloit.**

Beloit, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—The funeral of Prof. Joseph Emerson was held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the college chapel. Friends viewed the body from 2 to 2:30 o'clock. The services were in charge of Dr. George R. Leavitt. Among the speakers were Dr. Joseph Collie of Delavan, a member of the first class to graduate from Beloit college in 1853. It is now planned by the college people here to have memorial services after college opens.

## MILWAUKEEAN DISAPPEARS.

**Commercial Traveler Applies to Neenah Police for Protection.**

Neenah, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—E. T. Frank, a commercial traveler representing the I. J. Robinson company of Milwaukee, applied to the local police Sunday for protection against people whom he thought were trying to kill him. It was found that he was suffering from a mental disease brought on, probably, by hard work. Friends in Milwaukee were notified and he was kept at a local hotel awaiting their arrival. This morning he mysteriously disappeared and no trace of him can be found. It is feared he has committed suicide by jumping into the river.

## MELLEN WINS FIRST PRIZE.

**Northern Wisconsin Band Contest Held at Butternut.**

Butternut, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—The northern Wisconsin band contest held here drew a crowd of 5000 people. Bands from Medford, Mellen, Prentice, Phillips and Park Falls entered the contest. Prizes were awarded as follows: Mellen, first; Prentice, second; Phillips, third.

**Policeman Sues the City.**

Racine, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—Ex-Policeman John Geetz, who was dismissed by the police and fire commissioners has brought suit against the city for $60 which he claims due him for his salary last month. He alleges that the board dismissed him without reason and without having charges preferred against him.

**Injured Farmer Dies.**

Green Bay, Wis., Aug. 7.—Frank Jenkins, the Robinsonville farmer who was thrown from his buggy while driving Saturday evening, died at the General hospital from concussion of the brain.

## CLAIMS TO BE 120 YEARS OF AGE.

**Mrs. Joseph Beausau of Fond du Lac Alleges She was Born in Canada in 1780.**

Fond du Lac, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—Fond du Lac may lay successful claim to having as one of its citizens the oldest person in Wisconsin, if not in the United States. Mrs. Josephine Beausa, according to the records, which are vouched for as being correct, is 120 years old. She was born in Canada in 1780, and for the last sixteen years has made her home here. She is slight of build, but possesses a remarkable vitality.

## FIXES TERMINAL AT JANESVILLE.

**Southeastern Railroad will Erect Several Buildings There—A $25,000 Passanger Station.**

Janesville, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—Officials of the Milwaukee road announce that Janesville will be the terminal of the Janesville & Southeastern railroad. Many new buildings will be erected, including a $25,000 passenger station.

## LINCK IS ARRESTED.

**The Racine Alderman's Mother Alleges that Her Son is Insane.**

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 7.—Ald. J. Linck and Mrs. Lena Wyman of Racine, Wis., who disappeared from their homes about thirty days ago, were arrested here yesterday, living, it is said, as man and wife. The arrest was made at the instance of Linck's mother, who declares her son is insane, and will have a medical examination. Linck disappeared on July 6, and about the same time Mrs. Wyman was found to be missing from her home. The two disappearances were not believed to be connected in any way. The presence of the couple in this city was discovered through an indiscreet letter written by Mrs. Wyman to a friend in Racine, who showed it to Linck's mother. In the meantime Linck's family was under the impression that he had wandered away in a fit of mental aberration and the police of different cities were supplied with his description and photographs. Mrs. Wyman left her husband and one son, aged 10 years, in Racine. Linck is a member of the city council at Racine and said to be a prominent Mason and Odd Fellow. When his mother pleaded with Linck to return home he refused, and as a last resort she called the officers and had the couple placed under arrest. They are both in jail. Linck is a single man, 26 years of age, and Mrs. Wyman is ten years his senior.

## TWO BOYS DROWNED.

**While They Are Bathing in Lake Winnebago at Oshkosh They Disappear.**

Oshkosh, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—Two boys named Klabunde, aged 7 and 11 years, have disappeared and it is thought that they have been drowned. They were last seen bathing in Lake Winnebago at noon today. This afternoon their clothes were found on the beach but no trace of the boys can be found. The police are dragging the lake for the bodies.

## TELLS OF A MURDER.

**Indian Said to Have Been Killed on the Keshena Reservation.**

Marinette, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—An Indian who arrived here today from Shawano brought the news of a murder on the Keshena reservation. An Indian by the name of George Dixon, in a drunken row, struck another Indian over the head, inflicting injuries from which the latter died in a short time. No arrests have been made as far as known. The alleged murderer has a number of relatives residing here.

## HEAT CAUSES APOPLEXY

**Fred Webb, an Old Resident of Chippewa Falls, Dies—Others Critically Ill.**

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—Fred Webb, an old citizen, proprietor of the local hack line, died today from a stroke of apoplexy which he suffered Saturday. Three other cases of apoplexy have occurred here during the last two days, caused by the intense heat. John Nolan, B. E. Reid and Daniel Beauchene were stricken, but it is thought they will recover.

## RACINE FIRM FAILS.

**Fashionable Millinery House is Forced to the Wall.**

Racine, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—The Elite Millinery house, one of the large establishments in the city, owned by Mrs. B. Cohen, today displayed a notice in its window announcing that the firm had filed a petition in bankruptcy. Some days ago there was a rumor in the city that the firm was in financial difficulties. A meeting of its creditors was held and an effort was made to settle on a basis of 20 cents on the dollar, which was refused. The amount of the liabilities and assets are not known here. The creditors are for the most part Milwaukee and Chicago firms.

## BOYS CONFESS TO CRIME.

**Columbus Lads Rob Store of $150 in Cash.**

Columbus, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—The money drawer of Fuller Bros.' store has been robbed at various times of an aggregate of about $150. Joe Culver, 11 years old, was detected when entering a back door, and on arrest confessed to having taken the money. Charles Wolc, aged 17, also confesses having received and used a portion of the money. Both boys are under arrest and had an examination this morning.

## MILWAUKEE MAN DROWNS.

**Jack Hagerty Loses His Life Near Holmes Landing.**

Marinette, Wis., Aug. 7.—[Special.]—Jack Hagerty, a Milwaukee man, was drowned on the Main river drive yesterday near Holmes landing. He was walking on the logs with two companions when he slipped and fell in. His companions waited for him to show up to extend assistance, but he never came up. His body was recovered soon after.

## DR. FLAGG RECOVERING.

**His Physician States that He will Recover.**

Foxboro, Mass., Aug. 7.—President Rufus C. Flagg of Ripon college is gradually improving, and his condition warrants his physician in stating that he believes his recovery is assured.

# BIG FIRE IN ASHLAND.

## Four Lives Lost and $1,000,000 Worth of Lumber Burned.

## BUILDINGS BLOWN UP.

**Dynamite Used to Stop Advance of Flames—Great Docks Destroyed.**

Ashland, Wis., Aug. 6.—Fire in the Barker & Stewart lumber yards destroyed 50,000,000 feet of white pine lumber, three docks and two warehouses, involving an aggregate loss of $750,000. Of this about $600,000 was on lumber, which is fully covered by insurance. The rest of the loss is on docks and tramways and is only partially covered by insurance.

A strong wind swept the flames in the direction of the city and it was only by the lavish use of dynamite that the two large lumber mills and perhaps the whole town was saved from destruction.

Of the lumber destroyed 2,000,000 feet belonged to W. H. Gilbert, and nearly all the remainder on both docks was the property of the Edward Hines Lumber company of Chicago.

It is believed that no workmen were killed though several had narrow escapes.

Appleton, Wis., Aug. 6.—Fire last night at the plant of the Riverside Fiber company destroyed the main chip bin and necessitated a forty-minutes' shutdown of the dynamos operating the interurban cars. Several cars crowded with passengers were disabled during the interval at points between here and Neenah. H. D. Smith, president of the Riverside Fiber company, said their loss would not exceed $2000, and that the plant would not be incapacitated by the damage to the building.

Iron River, Wis., Aug. 6.—The Iron River Water, Light and Power company's plant at this place was totally destroyed by fire.

## GEN. BRAGG'S ORDERS.

**Arrangement for the Reunion of the Iron Brigade at Chicago.**

Fond du Lac, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—Gen. Edward S. Bragg, president of the Iron Brigade association, sent out today his final orders for the reunion of the brigade in Chicago the latter part of the month. The letter, characteristic of the general, sent to the members today gives a synopsis of the programme and a partial list of the notable guests that will attend the reunion and the banquet in the Chicago Athletic association's hall, Aug. 27. The attendance of every member is urged by the little general, who speaks of the coming meeting as one that "will be the best and perhaps, for many of us, the last meeting." His letter is headed by the command, "Fall in, men, fall in! Fall in, close up!" In full it is as follows:

The Iron Brigade association have their annual reunion in Chicago on the 27th day of August, before the general exercises of the Grand Army encampment are opened.

The place of business meeting and reunion for shaking hands, hobnobbing and interchange of old memories and reminiscences will begin at 2 o'clock p. m. sharp, Monday, August 27, in the magnificent Grand Army Memorial hall in the Public Library building, corner of Michigan avenue and Randolph street, especially allowed as a favor to us for that purpose.

After the opening of the meeting by the president of the association and the election of officers, the afternoon will be made entertaining by both vocal and instrumental music and short talks, not to exceed five minutes in length, from noted veterans of the old brigade and from others who may be present.

Sergt. Gibbons and Corp. Curtis will speak for the Twenty-fourth Michigan; Col. Dudley and Capt. Copeland will tell us about the Nineteenth Indiana, and old Gen. Meredith—by jinks!—Wisconsin will be heard from—the Second, Sixth and Seventh, as you all know when you remember that Gil. Woodward and two adopted sons of the brigade, who will represent our honored comrade, Col. Dowes of the Sixth, will be present. And, of course, the Grand Army men in Wisconsin all know Phil Cheek will be there. Col. Richardson and Capt. Pond and a number of others whom you all know, will tell you what they know about huckleberries.

Don't any of you forget the place or forget to come. It will be the best meeting we have ever had, and perhaps, for many of us, the last meeting.

But the attractions given you in the above list don't compare with what you will all want to see and hear by attendance at a banquet to be served at the hall of the Chicago Athletic association, 125 Michigan avenue, at 6.30 sharp in the evening. President McKinley will be there, Commander-in-Chief Shaw of the Grand Army will be there; Gov. Scofield of Wisconsin will be there; Charles G. Dawes will be there; Senator Burrows of Michigan will be there; Gov. Mount of Indiana will be there; Gen. Joe Wheeler will be there; Adjt.-Gen. Corbin is invited and will be there. Oh, the list is too long to print! We will all be there?

Gov. Scofield and J. G. Flanders of Milwaukee, together with some of our home talent, will represent Wisconsin.

It will be a swell affair and a rare chance to see most of the big bugs of the country.

No swallow-tail coat will be permitted to be worn by any member of the Iron Brigade. Don't dress up in fancy colors, but come in your plain, everyday clean clothes, like when your wives fit you up to go to campmeeting.

The price of banquet tickets to the members of the brigade will be adjusted at so low a figure that all of you who were worthy members of the Brigade can manage to be there.

But the list of attractions is not yet closed; open house will be kept during the entire week at Iron Brigade headquarters, 84 State Street, opposite Marshall, Field & Co., where all will be made welcome and refreshed.

Don't any fall out by the way; you remember the rule against straggling and be ready to fall into line promptly and do your duty in a way worthy of the brigade of which you are members.

By order of EDW. S. BRAGG,
President of the Association, General Commanding.
George C. Smith, Secretary.
Dated August 1, 1900.

## RUN DOWN BY A TRAIN.

**Barney Halverson of Waupaca Killed While Riding Railway Velocipede.**

Amherst, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—Barney Halverson was run over and instantly killed by a work train of the Wisconsin Central Railroad company about 1 o'clock Sunday morning. The deceased had been working for the Central on their track improvements at Amherst. Saturday night he started on a railroad velocipede to return to his home at Waupaca. About five miles south of here he was struck by a gravel train, which was returning here for its load. The fact that the train was backing up and therefore showed only a red light probably accounts for the accident. The deceased leaves a wife and two children.

## BADGER TEACHER ENGAGED.

**G. A. Talbert of Beaver Dam Gets Place in Indiana School.**

La Porte, Ind., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—Prof. G. A. Talbert of Beaver Dam, Wis., now in this city, has accepted the chair of science in the public schools at Peru, this state. Prof. Talbert is the Wisconsin educator who went to Europe and made scientific discoveries of interest to the medical profession. He will begin his work in September.

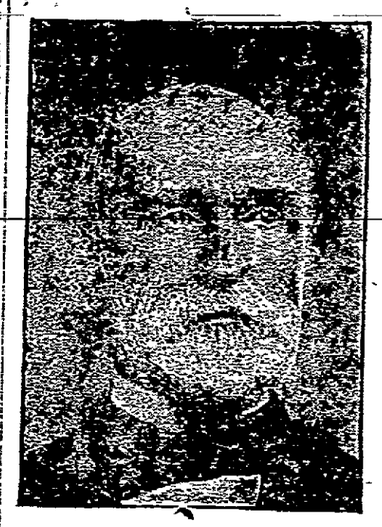
## THE FUNERAL OF PROF. EMERSON.

**Veteran Scholar of Beloit will be Laid to Rest on Tuesday.**

Beloit, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—The funeral of Prof. Joseph Emerson of Beloit college will be held at 2:30 o'clock from the college chapel Tuesday afternoon in charge of Dr. George R. Leavitt of the First Congregational church. The remains will be viewed in the chapel before the service. There will be several brief addresses. Nearly all of the college faculty are absent from the city and few will be able to reach home in time for the funeral.

Prof. Joseph Emerson died last Saturday afternoon. Early in the day it was thought he would live for a few days more but at 2 o'clock his condition took a sudden turn for the worst.

Prof. Emerson was born in Norfolk, Conn., May 28, 1821. His parents, Rev. Ralph Emerson and Eliza Rockwell Emerson, could each trace a descent from the most stalwart of New England's fam-



THE LATE PROF. EMERSON.

ilies. His early school and college honors were always highly prized as loyal offerings to a father's gratification. Prof. Emerson's course of preparatory study was completed at Phillips academy, Andover, Conn. He was graduated from Yale in 1841 and among his classmates were such distinguished men as Judge Learned, Rev. Dr. W. T. Eustis, Judge Birdseye and Donald G. Mitchel. He entered Andover seminary and pursued his theological studies for two years, then he taught at Yale for four years. In 1848, after two days of wet journeying from Milwaukee, he arrived at Beloit on May 24, and became an associate of Prof. J. J. Bushnell and S. T. Merrill in training the youths of the pioneer school.

In 1869 Prof. Emerson went abroad and lived a year or more in travel and study in Europe and in 1887 and 1888 he was also in Europe, Egypt and Palestine. With the exception of these absences he has been a constant part of Beloit college life and to the last, while relieved of regular duties, he was a power in the affairs of the institution, and in the community and citizens of Beloit and from all parts of the country were glad to draw together to pay the honor to the sage and teacher.

## SLASHED WITH KNIFE.

**Stabbing Affair Near Ashton, Dane County, May Develop Into a Murder.**

Madison, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—A stabbing affray, which may develop into a murder, occurred Sunday afternoon near Ashton, this county. John Ziegler, a farmer's boy, aged 19, was badly cut in the abdomen and under the left arm by Charles Reichenstein, a farmhand, and it is very doubtful whether he can live. Reichenstein is under arrest, and was arraigned in court this morning on the charge of assault with intent to kill, but was not allowed to plead, the court desiring to wait until it is known whether Ziegler will live. Bail was fixed at $5000.

The trouble occurred at the saloon of Joe Ester. A party of young farmers was congregated there, some of them had been making fun of Reichenstein about his attentions to a certain widow, and being possessed of a violent temper, it is alleged, it put him in an ugly mood. It is reported that Reichenstein pulled out an ugly-looking pocket-knife, rushed at young Ziegler and began slashing him. It is said that Ziegler was not one of those who had been joking Reichenstein and that the attack on him was unprovoked, but Reichenstein, being in a sort of blind fury, simply took those nearest him. Reichenstein went to the farm of Will Dorn, where he was working, took a horse and rode to Waunakee. From there he telephoned back to learn whether Ziegler was dead, and it was through this that Sheriff Kanouse got track of him and effected his arrest.

## DIVES TO HIS DEATH.

**Walter Polzien of Manitowoc is Drowned While Swimming—Dies in a Cistern.**

Manitowoc, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—Walter Polzien, 22 years of age, was drowned last evening while swimming in the river here. He was with Fred Thurston and both were diving. Polzien dived three times. The third time he did not come to the surface. Thurston became frightened and ran to get Polzien's father. When they returned no trace of Polzien could be found. Late last night the body was recovered. A verdict of accidental drowning was returned by the coroner's jury.

Sheboygan, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—The 16-year-old son of E. Borger, proprietor of the Commercial house at Sheboygan Falls, fell into a cistern Saturday evening and was drowned. The boy was missed, and after two hours of hunting his body was found in the cistern. A coroner's inquest was held over the body this morning.

## DEATH COMES AT LAST.

**Man Injured by Falling Tree Dies in Terrible Agony.**

Baraboo, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—Martin Fardgen of Sandusky was chopping in the timber, when a tree fell upon him, breaking one of his legs in two places. He lingered several days before death relieved his sufferings. He was unmarried.

Sun Prairie, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—Amell L. Sweet died at his home in the township, aged 78 years. Mr. Sweet came to Wisconsin from Canada in 1840, taking up the land while the state was yet a territory on which he has since lived. He leaves three children.

Marshfield, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—E. G. McLees, county poor commissioner, died this afternoon from the effects of a kick by a horse yesterday.

Spring Valley, Wis., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—Peter Cameron, bookkeeper with the Spoke Stave & Heading company, died very suddenly this morning.

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## RUSSIAN DISLIKE OF TUNNELS.

**Remarkable Statement by an American Railway Inspector.**

There are, naturally, a number of sweeping curves through the Urals, but all tunneling has been avoided. The writer did not see a single tunnel in the Ural range. It is a remarkable fact that during the trans-Siberian railway inspection the writer did not observe a tunnel anywhere; and even after continuing the inspection right into the heart of Russia, about 2000 miles more of line had been covered before he saw the first tunnel. This was near Tyfa, not far from the illustrious Tolstoi's home; and it was while responding to a prearanged invitation from le grand Russe, that the writer came across this, the first tunnel noted, after 6000 miles of overland railway inspection.

Russian railway engineer would sooner blow up a small mountain than make a tunnel, leaving a yawning chasm between the rocks, with two "streaks of rust" at the bottom thereof as a souvenir of his activity. Or, if he finds that, after going to the mountain, the mountain is not likely to yield to him, his instructions are to circumvent it by a long detour. Anything to avoid tunneling! The primary aversion for tunnels in Russia is not alone their first cost, but their subsequent cost; for tunnels, like houses, always have "something the matter with them."—Cassier's Magazine.

**Cameras in Congressional Library.**

Contrary to the custom in most public buildings, visitors are permitted to carry their cameras into the congressional library, and in consequence all manner of operators, from the child with its first tiny box camera to the experienced professional, are found with all sizes and conditions of cameras "taking" the rooms and halls in their splendid furnishings and beautiful decorations. The crowds of visitors interfere somewhat with making time exposures, as there is hardly an hour in the day when strangers are not tramping their way through the building on their round of sightseeing. Next to the capitol, it attracts the most persons of any of the objects of interest in Washington, from 5000 to 10,000 visitors in a day being not uncommon, while there have been as many as 19,000 in a single day.

**No Wonder He Wanted it Fumigated.**

"Disinfict the house thor-r-roughly, me b'y," said Mr. O'Toole, when the negotiations for renting the cottage had been completed, "and we'll move in to once."

"Why do you wish it disinfected?" inquired the agent. "The place is perfectly clean."

"Shure," replied Mr. O'Toole, as expressive of great shrewdness, "the last fam'ly thot lived in it had tr-r-riplits."—Judge.

**Fought for Meager Pay.**

A paragraph about the pay of the officers when the old Constitution was compelling the people of the world to respect our young republic is worth giving. Hull, Bainbridge and Stewart won lasting honors on $2.50 a day. Morris, whose ready wit suggested the use of the kedge when she was in the race with the British squadron, was receiving $1.33 a day. Able seamen were paid $17 a month.—Scribner's Magazine.


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Ask your grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal-brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. One-fourth the price of coffee. 15c and 25c per package. Sold by all grocers.


**Musical Fish.**

Many fish can produce musical sounds. The trigia can produce long-drawn notes ranging over nearly an octave. Others, notably two species of ophidum, have sound-producing apparatus, consisting of small movable bones, which can be made to produce a sharp rattle. The curious "drumming" made by the species called umbrivas can be heard from a depth of twenty fathoms.


**Crosby Transportation Co. and Grand Trunk Ry. system, Grand Haven Route.** Shortest, cheapest and most popular line to all points in Michigan, Canada and the East. Steamers leave Milwaukee every night at 9:15 p. m. Write or call at ticket office, 400 East Water St.


**Chinese Executioners.**

The state executioners in Canton, China, recently struck for higher pay. They received 500 cash (15 cents) after every execution, and they demanded double that amount.


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## IN GAY NEW YORK.

**Scenes and Incidents of Everyday Life in the Parts of America.**

A TALE OF WHOA.

—Morning.—

Goodby, old horse, we'll turn you out
To roam o'er hill and plain;
We've bought a horseless carriage and
We'll never need you again;
With naphtha, oil or gasoline
We'll ride from morn till dark
And on a Sunday afternoon
Go puffing through the park.
You're hardly worth a piece of pie!
Good-by, old horse, good-by!

—Evening.—

Come here, old horse, we need your pull
To get us home tonight;
This nasty, stinking, puffing thing
Is not perfected—quite.
Ten miles from home it fussed and fumed
And then refused to go;
And minus both a push and pull
Is was a case of whoa!
If you'll return, so will our joy.
Good boy, old horse, good boy.

—Exchange.

Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs has named her Newport villa Miramar, the Spanish for Seaview.

The stage coach line in Central park to Grant's tomb and back, has put on an automobile service. The fare will be increased from 5 to 10 cents.

Polo at Narragansett, golf at Southampton, golf at Bar Harbor, tennis and yachting at Newport, with luncheons, dinners and small dances everywhere—this is the programme for the social world at the swell summering places.

Among the strangers in New York is the Earl of Latham, whose family name is Wilbraham. He was for a number of years captain of the Yoemen of the Guard, and is a wealthy landed proprietor in England. He is at the Murray Hill hotel.

There is some prospect of the Casino hops being discontinued. Last Thursday there was not a single couple dancing, and the hop has long ago been ignored by society, and also by the townspeople, who follow closely in the wake of the summer residents.

"Why did I select John Drew to play Richard Carvel?" said Charles Frohman, in reply to a question yesterday. "Because of his dexterity as a swordsman, for one thing, and then, too, I think he has just the qualifications to personate the young American gentleman of the interesting period of that novel."

Among the beach attractions of a resort near New York city is a "wild man," who, according to the posters outside, was caught alive in Borneo. His name is billed as "An-nahk-r-am," and it is declared that he eats cats, dogs, birds and mice. The name spelled backward bears a close resemblance to that of a famous Ohio statesman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Martin and Lord and Lady Craven are again in London. Mrs. Bradley-Martin was a guest at a large dinner given by Maj.-Gen. and Mrs. Maxwell at their new home, in Half Moon street. Lord and Lady Deerhurst and Lord and Lady Coventry were also present. Maj.-Gen. Maxwell was formerly governor of Khartoum.

Society is greatly excited over the announcement made recently that Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish had decided to give a grand ball and had selected the evening of August 21 for the event, which will be even more elaborate than anything ever before attempted by Mrs. Fish. It will be held at Crossways. There will be a double cotillon and special features introduced. It will probably be the biggest event of its kind of the season.

Mrs. William Astor gave a dinner at Beechwood, Newport, last night. It was her first entertainment of the season and was given for Mrs. Astor's guests, Col. and Mrs. John Jacob Astor, and the party included persons of note and distinguished foreigners. Beechwood was specially decorated for the occasion, and halls, piazzas and dining room were banked with palms and plants, while the floral decorations were American Beauty roses. An orchestra was in attendance, placed behind a screen of palms.

Newport society is aroused over a rumor that Mrs. Adolph Ladenberg is soon to marry a rich English nobleman whose name is kept secret. This engagement has been hinted at in the different London prints, but Mrs. Ladenberg remains silent on the subject. Newport is waiting with impatience for the announcement. She is the leading spirit of the Meadowbrook Hunt club, and was Miss Emily Stevens before her marriage to the millionaire banker. Adolph Ladenberg disappeared from the steamer Niagara on a voyage from Nassau in 1895.

Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs has returned to Newport from a flying visit to New York city. The housewarming at Rosecliff, to be given soon, will be also a garden fete, when the remarkable garden of Rosecliff will be seen at its best. Upon this Mrs. Oelrichs has lavished money and the best skill of the landscape gardener. Masses of vivid foliage plants form a carpet; trees are cut into curious shapes, and rare vines and plants are everywhere. Upon the occasion of the fete many of the dainty garden costumes brought from Paris will have a first wearing.

An engagement ring that lately left the jeweler's for the hand of beauty is declared to be quite too dinky for words, whatever that may mean. At any rate, it consists of two large pearls, one white and one pink, framed in a double heart-shaped setting of diamonds, surmounted by a true lover's knot. What an improvement on the old-time diamond solitaire! Speaking of rings, a society girl named Ada has lately been wearing on her littlest finger a ring set with an amethyst, a diamond and another amethyst, so all who run may read her pretty name in precious stones.

Public automobiles to hold ten persons are the latest. Stages of this kind were put into service the other day, running through Central park to Riverside drive, and thence to Grant's tomb and return. Besides the ten passengers inside there is room for one outside by the side of the driver. Three vehicles have been put on as a starter, and they are full on every trip. There is no standing up allowed. When the ten inside and one outside passengers are in their places the machine will not take any more. In this respect at least the new electric stages are a vast improvement on the trolley cars and other public carriers of the metropolis.

One of the effects of the diaphanous shirtwaist, that has been so fashionable this summer, is curious. At the summer resorts around New York when a girl appears in evening dress it is seen that she is apparently artistically tattooed on her neck and arms. The explanation is that she is sunburned by the pattern of her thin shirtwaist. Men who go down to the seashore at intervals declare that half the girls they see at the hops in the evening show the patterns of their waists and that some of them are extremely beautiful. "Why go to a dime museum to see tattooed beauties when society provides them free of charge?" ask these young men.

J. Wadsworth Ritchie, a Boston society favorite and a cotillon leader, who went abroad with his wife two years ago, has imitated William Waldorf Astor and expatriated himself and become a British subject. Mr. Ritchie is a grandson of Gen. James S. Wadsworth, who was killed in the battle of the Wilderness. He is now in South Africa with the yeomanry. Mrs. Ritchie was Miss Emily Montague Tooker, daughter of G. Mead Tooker. She is now in Cape Town. Friends here are advised by letter that "Jack" Ritchie has sworn allegiance to Queen Victoria and changed his name to that borne by his mother's family, Wadsworth. Society is amazed and at a loss to understand it.

The curiosity often expressed concerning the value of the personal estate left by Adolph Ladenburg has been satisfied in the report of Henry E. Stanton of Jamaica, L. I. At the time of Mr. Ladenburg's death the estate was estimated at about $5,000,000. The report of the person appointed to fix the amount of the state transfer tax payable upon the estate places the actual value at $373,970.63, of which all but $10,000 is chargeable to Mr. Ladenburg's interest in the firm of Ladenburg, Thalman & Co. Of this amount the state gets $5000. Mrs. Ladenburg has a third interest in the estate, while her child, Eugenie Mary Ladenburg, who is 5 years old, is heir to the remainder.

Work of raising funds for the navy arch has practically been abandoned. Nothing more will be done until autumn, if then. Not a contribution of any moment has been received by the committee since April. All this was admitted at the offices of the Citizens' committee in the St. Paul building. The whole scheme for the arch has been altered. It has been decided to cut the amount to be raised from $1,000,000 to $500,000, and to dispense with the decorated columns, which are the feature that makes the original arch beautiful. Practically nothing has been received since Dewey's announcement of his candidacy for President. Most of the fund was collected before December 1 last.

The New York vaudeville stage is not to be graced by the presence of Lady Francis Hope, known to fame as May Yohe. Accompanied by her husband, Lord Francis, and a real English maid, whose speech is flavored with "Bow Bells," Lady Francis has arrived at the Hoffman house, and there she will put up until August 8, when the party will sail for England on the Oceanic. That she would play an engagement here she emphatically denied, using the maid as a mouthpiece. Lady Francis declined to see reporters and gave out her schedule by proxy. In the first place Lady Francis was said to be "very, very tired." They had come straight through from 'Frisco, and "five days on the railway are very hard, don't you know."

"Steeple Bob" Merrill, with two helpers, lowered the old weather vane which surmounted the great gilt ball at the top of St. Paul's church steeple the other day. The vane had been in position since the building of the church, 106 years ago. It is 8 feet long and 4½ feet in height; it is made of iron and copper and weighs about 250 pounds. The vane was completely covered with rust and several of the rivets were missing. It will be repaired and gilded. As soon as this has been done it will be hoisted up again and put in its old position. Hundreds of people watched "Steeple Bob" at his work. Among the spectators was Mrs. Merrill. She said she was not afraid of her husband falling. The work of repairing the steeple will continue for several weeks.

The will of Natalie Mayer, a daughter of Henry O. Havemeyer, who died on July 14 last at her home in Mahwah, N. J., from a self-inflicted pistol wound, was probated at Hackensack. The will was made in Paris on December 16, 1899. The first name in the list of bequests is that of Clifton H. Paige, who obtained notoriety through the investigation made by Coroner Vroom of Ridgewood after Mrs. Mayer's death. Paige is no relative of the Havemeyers, but for the last six or seven years had been a sort of private secretary and companion to Mrs. Mayer. He was given $10,000. One-third of the estate is to go into a trust for the husband, John Mayer, who is to receive the income and interest. The other two-thirds, and Mr. Mayer's third at his death, is divided equally among the children of the testatrix.

The nocturnal serenade is the latest diversion at Newport. Count Tarnowski of the Austrian legation, who is at Newport from Bar Harbor for a few days; Henry Clews, Jr., and Robert L. Gerry instituted this new mode of merry-making, and their venture, rather daring as it was, considering the hour, proved a charming success. Occasionally the music induced speechmaking, and at Belcourt someone nominated Mr. Belmont for President on the "third party" ticket, at which the band resurrected that old-time air, "Silver Threads Among the Gold," winding up quite appropriately with a few strains of that newer creation, "The Tiger Lily." The rising of the sun put an end to the jollity, but as the serenaders were able to get only half-way around among their friends they may be expected to resume at any time.

Walsingham of the Boston Herald rebels at the latest slang at Newport. He says: "The one word 'fierce,' the latest coinage of current slang, is the crowning gem of these lively young ladies' vocabulary. 'Fierce!' greets one in the early morning on the seaside veranda and serves as a parting salute at night. That little word possesses a parrot-like reiteration that fairly shocks the senses even given the calming effect of the sea air. Unwelcome enough from masculine lips, it is doubly atrocious when voiced by the eternal feminine. But the 'society girl' a la vaudeville is not gifted with the power to vary her vocabulary. She is a species of human phonograph, only calculated to reproduce and not invent. The weak little brain has seized upon 'fierce!' and 'fierce!' it is to the end of the chapter, until some other word replaces it. There is no flight sanctioned by 'smart' English society to which the young lady who prides herself on being so sprightly does not aspire."

## DISPUTES THE SPEAKER.

**Political Meetings in England Are Interrupted by Questioners.**

The man who asks questions and insists on their being answered is a familiar presence at all party meetings. One of England's many debts to Scotland is the loan of the expressive word used to describe him. He is known as the heckler. The speaker is not allowed to disregard him. If a statement is disputed it is the orator's place to make it good. Any member of the audience may rise to his feet and shout out a contradiction whenever he feels like it, and by the custom of English public life the speaker is expected to make some reply on the spot. He is not, of course, bound to, but unless he has forgotten all the impromptus that shrewd men carry about with them for such emergencies he usually does.

Mr. Chamberlain was always a dangerous man to cross in debate, but the personal feeling against him was so bitter for years after his withdrawal from the ranks of the Separatists that many an unhappy man was driven to tilt against his shield. It was delicious to watch Mr. Chamberlain's handling of the situation. He would pause when the interruption grew serious and give the heckler a chance to make himself well heard. "Now, if you will allow me, I will ask that gentleman to get upon a chair, that we may all have the pleasure of seeing him." A dozen anxious hands would hoist the objector into unwelcome prominence. "Now, sir," came the clear, passionless voice, "will you kindly speak up? I should be sorry if anyone missed what you have to say."

The heckler, now quite unnerved, would stammer out something, and Mr. Chamberlain, listening with a malicious smile, would quietly readjust his eyeglass, and, turning to the audience, fling out a reply—cool, cutting and decisive.—Harper's Magazine.

## JACK STRAWS.

Fortune tellers—the assessors.

Not a birthright—left-handedness.

We are now in the August presence of dog days.

Is the shirtmaker to be regarded as a bosom friend?

The boat that hugs the shore isn't always a smack.

People who keep lots of servants are easily done for.

The pawnbroker does business "all by his loan some."

The shoe manufacturer seems to be in it with both feet.

The iceman tells us that his commodity sells like hot cakes.

Even the jailer may lack the means of shutting up his wife.

Though not especially literary, the baker is devoted to Browning.

When a man has the "dough," his wife doesn't do her own baking.

**Has Its Uses.**

Baseball is good while it lasts. It keeps a boy from smoking cigarettes while he wears the cage over his countenance.—New Orleans Picayune.

## STYLISH STEAMER CAPE.

Cream ladies' cloth cape trimmed with black braid and lined with red plaid silk. The hood is lined with the same silk.

## THEY WANT AIR AND EXERCISE

**Children's Minds Should Lie Fallow Till They Are Seven Years Old.**

Sir John Gorst cannot be called a great educational reformer, but he is a weighty educational critic, and he has given the country some food for thought in his recent deliverance upon the subject of infant schools. There was a time when it was held that education could not be begun too early. Modern physiologists say, on the contrary, that until 7, at the earliest, a child's mind had much better be allowed to lie fallow. What it wants is air and exercise, and it has intellectual exercise enough in using its natural powers of observation. But Great Britain spends an enormous sum every year in educating, or preparing to educate, mites of 3 years old, and even under. So far as any education is really administered at such an age, it is an almost unmixed evil, and perhaps accounts for the number of dunces in the world.—London Correspondent.


**BEST FOR THE BOWELS.**

No matter what ails you, headache to a cancer, you will never get well until your bowels are put right. CASCARETS help nature, cure you without a gripe or pain, produce easy natural movements, cost you just 10 cents to start getting your health back. CASCARETS Candy Cathartic, the genuine, put up in metal boxes, every tablet has C. C. C. stamped on it. Beware of imitations.


**Women in China.**

It is something of a mistake to suppose that women in China have no rights that a man is not bound to respect. The idea that she is of no importance is altogether incorrect. In her home, as a wife, she exercises an authority that would make a denizen of the Western world gasp with wonder.

**Finest Collection of Pearls.**

One of the finest collections of pearls known is that of the Queen of Italy. It is so large that she cannot wear all of the rows she owns, and as they lose their color if not always in the light some of them adorn her ladies in waiting.


**What Do the Children Drink?**

Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing, and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children, the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee, but costs about ¼ as much. All grocers sell it. 15c and 25c.


**An Artificial Larynx.**

The larynx of a man in Sydney, Australia, became useless through disease, and he lost his voice. Prof. Stuart of the University of Sydney made an artificial one and it can be so regulated as to make the voice soprano, tenor, contralto or bass at will.


**Do Your Feet Ache and Burn?** Shake into your shoes Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It makes tight or new shoes feel easy. Cures Corns, Bunions, Swollen, Hot and Sweating Feet. At all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.


**Patron Saint of Russian Printers.**

The printers of Moscow, Russia, are talking of erecting a monument to or otherwise perpetuating the memory of Ivan Fiodorow, who in 1550 printed the first books in that place.


**Carter's Ink** is so good and so cheap that no family can afford to be without it. Is yours Carter's?


—English bankers in China give native commercial men a name for strict business honesty.


Piso's Cure for Consumption is an infallible medicine for coughs and colds.—N. W. Samuel, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1900.


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**Cockroach Exitor** is a sure exterminator for roaches, bedbugs, red ants, etc. Sent by mail for $1. M. Feyz & Co., 218 Sycamore St., Milwaukee, Wis.


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**Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup** for children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.


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# Lydia E. Pinkham's

***Vegetable Compound cures the ills peculiar to women. It tones up their general health, eases down overwrought nerves, cures those awful backaches and regulates menstruation.***

***It does this because it acts directly on the female organism and makes it healthy, relieving and curing all inflammation and displacements.***

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Write for free book, "How to Make Good Things to Eat."

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**ATTENTION! CURES WHILE YOU SLEEP.** Falling of Womb; Whites; Pain in the Back; Bearing Down Pains and all Female Weakness. By mail $1.00. Write to W. A. F., Great Bldg., Va.

**LACE CURTAINS** 25 to 40c pair. Ladies' and Gents' Clothes and Blankets of Family Dyeing at reasonable prices. Mail orders promptly attended to. Write HACK & ALTEN, 534 Clinton Street, Milwaukee, Wis.


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## MARSHFIELD ITEMS.

Henry Biene, who has been employed by the city for some time past, was killed on Monday afternoon by the caving in of the gravel bank near the hospital. Theo. Goseline being hurt at the same time, but not seriously. The two men were engaged in loading a wagon with gravel and had excavated under the bank when it caved in, forcing Mr. Biene's neck and head against the hub of the wagon, cutting great gashes in his neck and head, death resulting almost instantly, he having died before he could be removed from his terrible position. The deceased leaves a wife and seven children. It was thought that Goseline's legs had been broken, but such was not the case, although he was badly bruised.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nell, who have spent the past six months in Europe, returned home last Friday evening, after a very delightful sojourn among old scenes and acquaintances. While they have yearned for half a century to visit their old home, and had a good time while there, they were glad to be in America once more.

It is possible that another wrestling match may be held between Beell and Adamson, as the latter while here said he would like to try his man again at $1000 a side and the total gate receipts.

The farewell dance given Friday night by the band and militia company was not well attended but a good time was had.

## CRANMOOR.

Mrs. Emma Barstow and daughter Louise, of Crete, Nebraska, arrived Saturday for a short visit with her brother S. N. Whittlesey and family.

Mrs. S. N. Whittlesey departed Tuesday evening for Orient, South Dakota. While there she will be the guest of the Conway families.

Mr. and Mrs. Foley and daughters Mary and Evelyn were Nekoosa visitors Thursday.

Miss McCamley returned to her home in Grand Rapids Sunday morning after a few days with the Whittleseys.

Next Tuesday the 14th is convention day.

### M. E. Church.

Rev. F. A. Nimits, pastor.

Public services for Sunday, Aug. 12, 1900.

9:30 a. m. Class Meeting.
10:30 a. m. Preaching.
11:45 a. m. Sunday School.
5:00 p. m. Junior League.
6:45 p. m. Epworth League.
7:30 p. m. Preaching.

Subject for morning. "The Vision that brings Unrest to the Soul."

Subject of evening sermon. "The Man who asserts Himself."

Special music will be furnished by the ladies' quartet in the morning and by the gentlemen's quartet in the evening.

### A Mother tells how She saved Her little Daughter's Life.

I am the mother of eight children and have had a great deal of experience with medicines. Last summer my little daughter had the dysentery in the worst form. We thought she would die. I tried everything I could think of, but nothing seemed to do her any good. I saw by advertisement in our paper that Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy was highly recommended and sent and got a bottle at once. It proved to be one of the very best medicines we ever had in the house. I am anxious for every mother to know what an excellent medicine it is. It saved my little daughter's life. Had I known it at first it would of saved me a great deal of anxiety and my little daughter much suffering.—Yours truly, MRS. GEO. F. BURDICK, Liberty, R. I. For sale by Johnson & Hill Co.

### First Congregational Church.

MAPLE AVENUE, WEST SIDE.

Rev. B. J. H. Shaw, pastor.

Public services for Sunday, Aug. 12, 1900.

10:30 a. m. Morning service. Subject, "The Clearer Vision."
12 m. Sunday School.
7:30 p. m. Evening service. Subject, "The Sea and its Suggestions."

On Sunday evenings during August will consider some special aspects of Nature and their spiritual suggestiveness, with illustrative readings from Wordsworth, Lowell, Emerson and Whittier.

Anthems and solos at each service.

### Prevented a Tragedy.

Timely information given Mrs. George Long, of New Straitsville, Ohio, saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night. She had tried many remedies and doctors but steadily grew worse until urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle wholly cured her, she writes, this marvelous medicine also cured Mr. Long of a severe attack of pneumonia. Such cures are positive proof of its power to cure all throat, chest and lung troubles. Only 50c and $1.00. Guaranteed. Trial bottles free at Johnson & Hill Co.'s drug store

### More New Towns

On the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry. between Aberdeen and the Missouri river. They are being surveyed now. Watch the papers for dates of opening sales which will be within the next three weeks. We want you to purchase and locate in one of them. Get in to business for yourself and on the ground floor. Apply to Land Department, C. M. & St. P. Ry. Co., Milwaukee, Wis.

### Story of a Slave.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich., says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. It is a godsend to weak, sickly, run down people. Cure guaranteed. Only 50c at Johnson & Hill Co.'s drug store

## ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

—FARM FOR SALE.—A one hundred and twenty acre farm located about three miles from this city on the Rudolph road. A good dwelling house on same. For particulars write to Mrs. P. Walsh, Eagle River, Wis.

Garry and Jim Mason, Will Nash and Jesse Hopgood returned from their trip down the Wisconsin on Sunday. They made the journey in four days and report a good time. The Messrs. Mason visited at Portage before returning and Messrs. Hopgood and Nash made a short visit at Fond du Lac.

Prof. J. E. Tenny, of Woodland Academy, was in the city on Monday on his way home from a trip north on the St. Paul road. The professor says their term will open on Aug. 28th with the school full of scholars. During the coming school year a complete business course will be taught at the academy.

Miss Floy Philleo entertained a party of friends on Friday night of last week in honor of Miss Maud Tibbits. There were anagrams and the first prize, a statuary piece was captured by Miss Tibbits. The gentleman's prize, a book was won by James Vaughn. Light refreshments were served.

A large number of town people went out to the home of Henry Boetcher in Sigel to attend the dance and supper incident to the marriage of Mr. Boetcher's two daughters which occurred Tuesday. Those who attended the festivities report that they were royally entertained and the fun was kept up until a late hour.

Norton, the Stove Man, is still on earth and will be found in the Wagner block across from the old stand. Don't fail to call on him for all kinds of stove repairs, also stoves and everything that goes with stoves.

### Joined the Army.

Roy Getts, Elmer Glass, Frank Sweeney, Gus. Closuit, Will Young, Ben Toepel, Ernest Young, Fred Miller, Joe Bodette and Charles Raath went to Stevens Point to enlist in the regular army. Ben Toepel and Ernest Young were accepted. The recruiting officer did not have time to examine all of the applicants but stated that he would be in this city soon to make enlistments.

—On every bottle of Shiloh's Consumption Cure is this guarantee: "All we ask of you is to use two-thirds of the contents of this bottle faithfully, then if you can say you are not benefited return the bottle to your druggist and he may refund the price paid." Price 25 cts., 50 cts. and $1.00. Sold by Centralia Drug Co.

### Epworth League Social.

The ice cream social given by the Epworth League of the M. E. church on Tuesday evening was a complete success socially and financially. The room was beautifully decorated with flags and bunting, while asparagus ferns and cut flowers were scattered about in great profusion. The tables were laid with the daintiest of covers. The cream and cake were as fine as though made by professionals, and was thoroughly enjoyed by the large number present. The young people of the League did themselves "proud." The receipts were about $16.

### German Moravian Church.

Rev. A. Petterson, pastor.

Public services for Sunday, Aug. 12, 1900.

10:30, a. m. Preaching.
3:00 p. m. Junior C. E.
6:45 p. m. Senior C. E.
7:45, English preaching by the pastor.

Subject of evening sermon, "Three Ways to the Lord."

You are cordially invited to attend. Bring your friends.

### Scandinavian Moravian Church

Rev. J. J. Groenfeldt, pastor.

Services Sunday and week day.

9:30 a. m. Sunday school.
10:30 a. m. Preaching.

Wednesday evening at 7:30, bible reading and prayer service.

Preaching in Rudolph every alternate Sunday at 3 o'clock.

To all the services of the church you are always welcome.

—Dr. D. Waters, physician and surgeon. Office over Church's drug store, telephone 182. Night calls at Dixon House, telephone 55.

### Ordinance 65.

An Ordinance Relating to the Destruction of Rubbish, Waste Material and Garbage.

The Common Council of the city of Grand Rapids do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. It is hereby declared unlawful for any person or corporation to dump, unload or throw on any premises not owned or occupied by him or it any rubbish, debris, waste material or garbage of every kind and description.

SECTION 2. It is hereby made the duty of every person and corporation to destroy all rubbish, debris, waste material and garbage of every kind and description that can be destroyed by fire or other means, upon premises owned or occupied by him or it, within two days after receiving written notice from the street commissioner so to do.

SECTION 3. It is hereby made the duty of every person and corporation to deposit all rubbish, debris, waste material and garbage of every kind and description, that can't be destroyed by fire or other means, upon premises owned or occupied by him or it, at the suitable places that the same may be removed by the street commissioner, within two days after receiving written notice from the street commissioner so to do.

SECTION 4. Every person shall, upon any [illegible] of any of the provisions of the first, second and third sections of this ordinance, be [illegible] be fined not less than $2.00 and not more than $10.00 and all the costs of prosecution.

SECTION 5. All persons found guilty of violating this ordinance and adjudged to pay a fine and who default in the payment thereof [illegible] to the County Jail of Wood County until such fine shall be fully paid, or [illegible] therefrom by due process of [illegible] [illegible] days and not more than [illegible] days.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved August 7, 1900.

B. R. GOGGINS, Mayor.

Attest: M. W. MOSHER, Clerk.

Published August 9, A. D. 1900.

### YELLOWSTONE PARK AND ALASKA.

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**Tickets Include all Expenses Everywhere.**

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### C. M. & St. Paul Excursions.

National Encampment G. A. R. the C. M. & St. Paul will sell excursion tickets to Chicago Aug. 25 to 29th good to return until Sept. 1st at $7.38 for round trip. An extension to Sept. 30 on return limit can be obtained at an extra cost of 50 cents.

Wisconsin State Fair, $4.83 to Milwaukee will sell Sept. 8 to 14th inclusive return coupon, good until Sept. 15.

You can visit the Dells at Kilbourn for $3.55 leaving here any Friday or Saturday up to Sept. 30th good to return the following Monday. This includes the steamer ride.

Democratic State Convention at Milwaukee will sell Aug. 21 and 22 return limit to Aug. 24 at $4.83 for round trip.

S. M. SCHLATTERER, Agent.

### Notice of General Election.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, } ss.
DEPARTMENT OF STATE, }

Notice is hereby given, that at a general election, to be held in the several towns, wards, villages and election districts of the State of Wisconsin, on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday being the 6th day of November, A. D 1900, the following officers are to be elected, to-wit:

Twelve electors of President and Vice President of the United States.

A Governor, in the place of Edward Scofield, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A Lieutenant Governor, in place of Jesse Stone, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January A. D. 1901.

A Secretary of State, in place of William H. Froehlich, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A State Treasurer, in place of James O. Davidson, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

An Attorney General, in place of Emmett R. Hicks, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A State Superintendent, in place of Lorenzo D. Harvey, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A Railroad Commissioner, in place of Graham [illegible], whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A Commissioner of Insurance, in place of Emil Giljohann, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A Representative in Congress for the Eighth Congressional District, consisting of the counties of Wood, Portage, Waupaca, Outagamie, Brown, Kewaunee and Door.

In accordance with section 1 of article XII. of the constitution of the state of Wisconsin, the following joint resolutions adopted by the legislature of the state of Wisconsin at the regular session of 1899, are made a part of the foregoing notice, to-wit:

[No. 9, S.]

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1.

Proposing to amend section 10, of article 8, of the constitution of Wisconsin, relating to good roads.

Resolved, by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That section 10 of article 8 of the constitution of Wisconsin, be amended by adding thereunto the following:

The state may, however, appropriate money to be raised by taxation and not in anywise to constitute a public debt, to be used in the construction or improvement of public highways, such construction or improvement to be made in the manner provided by law.

[No. 12, S.]

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 8.

Proposing an amendment to article XIII of the constitution of the state of Wisconsin to prohibit the pass system.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That article XIII of the constitution be amended by adding a new section, to be numbered and to read as follows: Section 11. No person, association, co-partnership, or corporation shall promise, offer, or give, for any purpose, to any political committee, or any member or employee thereof, to any candidate for or incumbent of any office or position under the constitution or laws, or under any ordinance of any town or municipality, of this state, or to any person at the request or for the advantage of all or any of them, any free pass or frank, or any privilege withheld from any person, for the traveling accommodation or transportation of any person or property, or the transmission of any message or communication.

No political committee and no member or employee thereof, no candidate for and no incumbent of any office or position under the constitution or laws, or any ordinance of any town or municipality of this state, shall ask for, or accept, from any person, association, co-partnership, or corporation, or use, in any manner, or for any purpose, any free pass or frank, or any privilege withheld from any person, for traveling accommodation or transportation of any person or property, or the transmission of any message or communication.

Any violation of any of the above provisions shall be bribery and punished as provided by law, and if any officer or any member of the legislature be guilty thereof, his office shall become vacant.

No person within the purview of this act shall be privileged from testifying in relation to anything therein prohibited, and no person having so testified shall be liable to any prosecution or punishment for any offense concerning which he was required to give his testimony or produce any documentary evidence.

The railroad commissioner and his deputy in the discharge of duty are excepted from the provisions of this amendment.

[No. 16, S.]

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13.

Proposing an amendment to article II of the constitution of Wisconsin, giving the legislature power to pass a general banking law.

Resolved by the Assembly and the Senate concurring, That article II of the constitution of the State of Wisconsin be and is hereby amended by substituting for sections 4 and 5 thereof a new section to be known as section 4 and reading as follows:

Section 4. The legislature shall have power to enact a general banking law for the creation of banks, and for the regulation and supervision of the banking business, provided that the vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, to be taken by yeas and nays, be in favor of the passage of such law.

[No. 21, S.]

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 16.

Proposing an amendment to section 1 of article 10 of the constitution of the state of Wisconsin relating to education.

Resolved, by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That section 1, of article 10, of the constitution of the state of Wisconsin be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. The supervision of public instruction shall be vested in a state superintendent and such other officers as the legislature shall direct and their qualifications, powers, duties and compensation shall be prescribed by law. The state superintendent shall be chosen by the qualified electors of the state at the same time and in the same manner as members of the supreme court, and shall hold his office for four years from the succeeding first Monday in July. The state superintendent chosen at the general election in November, 1902, shall hold and continue in his office until the first Monday in July, 1905, and his successor shall be chosen at the time of the judicial election in April, 1905. The term of office, time and manner of electing or appointing all other officers of supervision of public instruction shall be fixed by law.

Given under my hand and official seal at the capitol in the city of Madison on the first first day of August, A. D. 1900.

[SEAL]

To the County Clerk of Wood County, Wis.

WM. H. FROEHLICH, Secretary of State.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, } ss.
County of Wood. }

Pursuant to the above, notice is hereby given that at a General Election to be held in the several towns, wards, villages and election precincts of Wood county, state of Wisconsin, on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday, being the 6th day of November, A. D. 1900, the following officers are to be elected, to-wit:

A Member of Assembly for Wood County, in place of A. E. Germer, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January A. D. 1901.

A County Clerk in place of William H. Reeves whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A County Treasurer in place of Michael G. Fleckenstein, whose term office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A Sheriff in the place of Michael Vincent, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A Register of Deeds in place of James Vaughn whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January A. D. 1901.

A Clerk of Circuit Court in place of William White, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A District Attorney in the place of Dennis D. Conway, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January A. D. 1901.

A County Superintendent of Schools in place of Otto J. Lee, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A County Surveyor in place of William Corcoran, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

A Coroner in place of James Hasal, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1901.

Given under my hand and seal at the court house in the city of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, this 4th day of August, A. D. 1900.

[SEAL] W. H. REEVES, County Clerk.

### COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Council Room, Aug. 7, 1900.

Council met in regular session Mayor Goggins presiding.

Aldermen present Wood, Lutz, Reiland, Kruger, Bunde, Pratt, Otto, Anthofer, Oberbeck, Schnabel, Kellogg, Rossier and Hill.

The Finance committee reported recommending the purchasing of the Centralia Hardware Co's hay scales at $70. Report adopted.

The Street committee reported back the petition asking the stumping and widening of the street running east from Milwaukee street along the north side of the Wm. Corcoran place without recommendation, and also reported a proposition from Wm. Corcoran offering the city the 30 feet strip of land along the north side of his forty that city desired for street purposes for $250 or give the city $25 to leave the street as it is.

Moved and carried that the Street committee and city attorney take proper legal proceedings to acquire the above mentioned strip of land for street purposes. In case Mr. Corcoran will take $175 for same, he to remove his barn, pump and fence, street committee were on like motion authorized to make the purchase.

The Street committee reported on the petition asking the continuation of the water main on Cranberry street west from the Mc Kercher residence a distance of about 200 feet favoring the petition but recommending that same be laid over until next spring.

Dr. Pomainville, health officer, made a report condemning the lot back of Miss A. M. Gordon's near Market Square on the East Side and the lot near Mrs. Aker's residence on the West Side, because of the stagnant water thereon, which is dangerous to the health of the community.

Moved and carried that the above matter be left to Street committee for proper action, they to act under the advice of city attorney.

Petition presented asking the establishment of a grade, and the laying of a sidewalk on French street from Cranberry street southwest to lot 5, blk. 4, Mc Comb's addition.

Same was on motion referred to Street committee to be reported on at the next meeting.

Petition presented asking council to authorize City Engineer to establish the curb line and sidewalk line, and set grade stake for same on the west side of French street to Green Bay Ry. crossing. The prayer of the petition was granted and city engineer instructed to establish said lines on French street from Cranberry street to Lincoln street.

Moved and carried that the track for vehicles on French street from G. H. Corriveau's residence north to Lincoln street be one rod wide from center of street.

Moved and seconded that if the sewer from Dr. Boorman's corner north along French street could be constructed for $500 that same be built. Motion lost.

Petition presented asking the construction of a gutter along Front street. On motion the prayer of the petioner was granted, and that gutter rock be put in on said street from Bodette's shoe shop south as far as the rock the city has now on hand will reach.

Moved, seconded and unanimously carried that all sidewalks on Cranberry street from the bridge to St. Paul depot be put to curb grade, and that the Street committee be authorized to remove all trees in the street where such removal is necessary to put such sidewalks on grade.

On motion permission was granted Abel and Schroeder to dig ditch across Baker street from court house to county jail.

Moved and carried that the Board of Review have power to employ a stenographer.

An ordinance relating to the pasturing of cattle, horses, etc., on the streets, lanes, alleys and public places in the City of Grand Rapids was presented and unanimously adopted.

An ordinance relating to the destruction of rubbish, waste material and garbage was presented and unanimously adopted.

An ordinance relating to the obstruction of certain streets and sidewalks with wagons, sleighs and other vehicles was presented and unanimously adopted.

The above ordinances may be seen in legal form.

Proceedings continued next week.

MILTON W. MOSHER, City Clerk.

### Ordinance 66.

An Ordinance Relating to the Pasturing of Cattle, Horses, etc., on the Streets, Lanes, Alleys and Public Places of the City of Grand Rapids.

The Common Council of the city of Grand Rapids do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. It is hereby declared unlawful for any person or corporation owning or having in his or its possession any horse, mule, colt, gelding, mare, cow, calf, goat, sheep or other neat cattle to permit any such animal to graze, feed or depasture, or be fed, staked or tied in any way for such purpose in or upon any street, lane, alley or public place in said city of Grand Rapids.

SECTION 2. Any person or corporation found guilty of violating section 1 of this ordinance should on conviction thereof be liable to a fine of not less than two ($2.00) dollars nor more than twenty ($20.00) dollars.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved August 7, A. D. 1900

B. R. GOGGINS, Mayor.

Attest: M. W. MOSHER, Clerk.

Published August 9, A. D. 1900.

### Ordinance No. 67.

An Ordinance relating to the Obstruction of Certain Streets and sidewalks with Wagons, Sleighs and other Vehicles.

The Common Council of the city of Grand Rapids do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. It is hereby declared unlawful for any person or corporation to place or cause to be placed or allow to remain, any wagon, buggy, sleigh or other vehicle of any kind or description usually drawn by a horse or horses or other animal or animals on any portion of the street or sidewalk on the following named streets, to wit: Oak, Center, Front, Baker, Wisconsin, High, Vine and Elm all on the east side and Cranberry, Front, Main, Jackson, French, Maple, Spruce, Oak and Franklin on the west side of Wisconsin river, in said city of Grand Rapids, from which said wagon, buggy, sleigh or other vehicle the horse or horses or other animal or animals used for the purpose of hauling same have been unhitched or taken away.

SECTION 2. Any person or corporation found guilty of violating section 1 of this ordinance shall on conviction thereof be liable to a fine of not less than two dollars and not more than twenty dollars.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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### Notice of Democratic Caucuses and Convention.

STATE OF WICONSIN, } ss.
WOOD COUNTY. }

At a regularly called meeting of the County Committee of the Democratic party of said county, on motion it was resolved and determined.

First, that the County Convention of said party in said county, to elect 8 delegates to the State Convention to be held at Milwaukee, Aug. 22nd, 1900, and to elect 4 delegates to the 8th District Congressional Convention, to be held at New London, Aug. 23, 1900, be held at the City Hall in the City of Marshfield, on the 29th day of August, A. D. 1900, at one o'clock in the afternoon.

Second:—That the caucusses of the several caucus districts, wards, towns and villages, be held on the 16th day of August 1900, opening at the hour of 7 p. m. and continuing as provided by law at the following places respectively and that the number of delegates from each, be as follows; namely:

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| Auburndale Village | Village hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Auburndale town | Chas. Teske's house | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Grand Rapids, 1st ward | Mahoney's residence | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Grand Rapids, 2nd ward | Library building | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Grand Rapids, 3rd ward | G. A. R. hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Grand Rapids, 4th ward | Pleuke's dwelling | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Grand Rapids, 5th ward | Power house | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Grand Rapids, 6th ward | Worthington's shop | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Grand Rapids, 7th ward | City hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Grand Rapids, 8th ward | Martin Nisson's res. | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Grand Rapids town | Town hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 2 |
| Lincoln town | Leitritz hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 2 |
| Marshfield, 1st ward | Bartl's hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 2 |
| Marshfield, 2nd ward | Hartl's hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 2 |
| Marshfield, 3rd ward | Kohl's shop | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 2 |
| Marshfield, 4th ward | Weiland's laundry | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Marshfield, 5th ward | City hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 2 |
| Marshfield, 6th ward | Wagner's hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Marshfield town | Town Hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Milladore town | Rozum's hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Nekoosa village | Village hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Pittsville, 1st ward | Bunge's house | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Pittsville, 2nd ward | G. A. R. hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Pittsville, 3rd ward | Cotey's hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Port Edwards town | Town hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Remington town | Town hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Richfield town | Town hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Rock town | Town hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Rudolph town | LaVaque's hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 2 |
| Saratoga town | Town hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Seneca town | Town hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Sherry town | Town hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Sigel town | Town hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 2 |
| Vesper town | Arpin Opera House | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |
| Wood town | Town Hall | 7:00 to 8:00 p m | 1 |

We certify the above to be correct.

Dated August 4th, 1900.

L. M. NASH, Chairman of Committee.

ADAM PAULUS, Sec. of Com.


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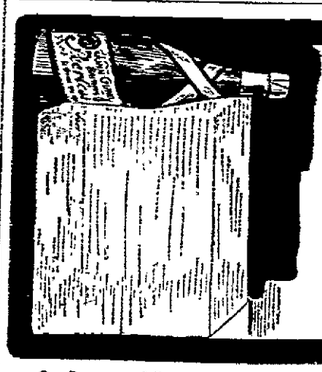

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